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## Marketing Seasons

Many kinds of annual data are based on marketing seasons rather than on calendar years. A. G. Black, Chief of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, announces that henceforth uniform periods to represent the marketing seasons for the various agricultural products will be employed in statistics issued by the Bureau. His decision, based on the recommendations of the Bureau Statistics Committee, provides for the periods as listed below. He states that it is recognized some changes may be needed from time to time in the future as more experience is had in using these periods.

Commodity	Marketing season		
	From—	To—	Number of months
<b>Grains: 1</b>			
Barley.....	July 1	June 30	12
Buckwheat.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31	12
Corn.....	Oct. 1	Sept. 30	12
Grain sorghums.....	do	do	12
Oats.....	July 1	June 30	12
Rice—Southern.....	Aug. 1	July 31	12
Rice—California.....	Oct. 1	Sept. 30	12
Rye.....	July 1	June 30	12
Wheat.....	do	do	12
<b>Miscellaneous crops: 1</b>			
Beans, dry.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31	12
Broomcorn.....	July 1	June 30	12
Cotton.....	Aug. 1	July 31	12
Cowpeas.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31	12
Flax.....	July 1	June 30	12
Hay.....	do	do	12
Hops.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31	12
Peas, dry.....	Aug. 1	July 31	12
<b>Seed:</b>			
Alfalfa.....	July 1	June 30	12
Clover.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31	12
Lespedeza.....	Oct. 1	May 31	8
Timothy.....	Aug. 1	July 31	12
Soybeans.....	Oct. 1	Sept. 30	12
Sugar beets.....	Sept. 1	Dec. 31	4
Sugar-beet sugar.....	do	Aug. 31	12
Sugarcane grinding season (manufacturing period) in:			
Louisiana.....	Oct. 1	Jan. 31	4
Florida.....	Dec. 1	Apr. 30	5
Cuba.....	do	June 30	7
Puerto Rico.....	Jan. 1	do	6
Virgin Islands.....	do	do	6
Hawaii.....	Nov. 1	do	8
Philippines.....	do	do	8
Sugarcane sirup, grinding season.....	Oct. 1	Jan. 1	4
Sorgo sirup, grinding season.....	July 1	Aug. 31	2
Maple sirup and sugar.....	Mar. 1	Feb. 28	12
Honey.....	May 1	Apr. 30	12

## Marketing Seasons—Continued

Commodity	Marketing season		
	From—	To—	Number of months
<b>Tobacco:</b>			
Flue-cured.....	July 1	Feb. 28	8
Maryland.....	Jan. 1	Dec. 31	12
Cigar (41 to 62).....	July 1	June 30	12
All others (types 21 to 31 and 35 to 37).....	Nov. 1	May 31	7
<b>Fruits—Fresh:</b>			
Apples.....	July 1	June 30	12
Apricots.....	May 1	Aug. 31	4
<b>Avocados:</b>			
Cuba.....	June 1	Sept. 30	4
Florida.....	July 1	June 30	12
California.....	Oct. 1	Sept. 30	12
Bananas.....	Jan. 1	Dec. 31	12
Berries <sup>2</sup> .....	May 1	Oct. 31	6
<b>Cherries:</b>			
Sour.....	June 1	Aug. 31	3
Sweet.....	May 1	do	4
Cranberries.....	Sept. 1	Mar. 31	7
Grapes.....	June 1	Dec. 31	7
Grapefruit.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31	12
Lemons.....	Nov. 1	Oct. 31	12
<b>Limes:</b>			
Florida.....	Apr. 1	Dec. 31	9
Foreign.....	Mar. 1	Feb. 28	12
<b>Oranges:</b>			
California Navel.....	Nov. 1	May 31	7
California Valencia.....	Apr. 1	Nov. 30	8
Florida <sup>1</sup> .....	Oct. 1	July 31	10
Peaches.....	May 1	Oct. 31	6
Pears.....	June 1	May 31	12
Plums and fresh prunes.....	May 1	Oct. 31	6
Tangerines <sup>1</sup> .....	Nov. 1	Mar. 31	5
Strawberries.....	Dec. 1	July 31	8
<b>Fruits—Canned:</b>			
Apples.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31	12
Apricots.....	June 1	May 31	12
Berries.....	do	do	12
Cherries.....	do	do	12
Figs.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31	12
Grapefruit.....	Nov. 1	Oct. 31	12
Olives.....	Oct. 1	Sept. 30	12
Peaches.....	Aug. 1	July 31	12
Pears.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31	12
Pineapples.....	July 1	June 30	12
Plums and prunes.....	Aug. 1	July 31	12
<b>Fruits—Dried:</b>			
Apples.....	do	do	12
Apricots.....	July 1	June 30	12
Figs.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31	12
Peaches.....	Aug. 1	July 31	12
Pears.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31	12
Prunes.....	do	do	12
Raisins.....	do	do	12
<b>Nuts:</b>			
Almonds.....	Aug. 1	July 31	12
Filberts.....	Oct. 1	Sept. 30	12
<b>Peanuts:</b>			
Southwestern States.....	Aug. 1	July 31	12
Southeastern States.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31	12
Virginia-North Carolina area.....	Nov. 1	Oct. 31	12
Pecans.....	do	do	12
Walnuts.....	Oct. 1	Sept. 30	12
<b>Vegetables—Fresh:</b>			
Asparagus.....	Feb. 1	Nov. 30	10
<b>Beans—snap:</b>			
Fall crop.....	Oct. 1	Dec. 31	3
Early crop.....	Jan. 1	June 30	6
Intermediate.....	June 1	July 31	2
Late crop.....	July 1	Dec. 31	6
Beans—fresh limas.....	Nov. 1	Oct. 31	12
<b>Beets:</b>			
Early crop.....	do	May 31	6
Intermediate.....	May 1	Oct. 31	6
Late crop.....	Aug. 1	Apr. 30	9

See footnotes at end of table.

Marketing Seasons—Continued

Commodity	Marketing season			Number of months
	From—	To—		
<b>Vegetables—Fresh—Continued.</b>				
Cabbage:				
Early crop.....	Nov. 1	June 30		7
Intermediate.....	June 1	Aug. 31		3
Late crop.....	July 1	May 31		11
Cantaloups and miscellaneous melons.....	Apr. 1	Nov. 30		8
Carrots.....	Nov. 1	Oct. 31		12
Cauliflower.....	do	do		12
Celery:				
Fall and early crop.....	Oct. 1	June 30		9
Second early.....	May 1	Sept. 30		5
Intermediate and late.....	July 1	Feb. 28		8
Corn, green.....	Apr. 1	Oct. 31		7
Cucumbers.....	Nov. 1	do		12
Eggplant.....	do	do		12
Lettuce.....	do	do		12
Onions.....	Apr. 1	Mar. 31		12
Peas, green.....	Nov. 1	Oct. 31		12
Peppers, green:				
Fall and early crop.....	Oct. 1	July 31		10
Intermediate.....	July 1	Oct. 31		4
Late crop.....	Oct. 1	Jan. 31		4
Potatoes:				
Early crop.....	Dec. 1	July 31		8
Intermediate.....	June 1	Sept. 30		4
Late crop.....	July 1	June 30		12
Spinach.....	Nov. 1	Oct. 31		12
Sweet potatoes.....	July 1	June 30		12
Tomatoes.....	Nov. 1	Oct. 31		12
Turnips and rutabagas:				
Early crop.....	Dec. 1	June 30		7
Late crop.....	July 1	May 31		11
Watermelons.....	May 1	Oct. 31		6
<b>Vegetables—Canned:</b>				
Asparagus.....	Apr. 1	Mar. 31		12
Beets.....	Aug. 1	July 31		12
Beans, string.....	do	do		12
Beans, lima.....	do	do		12
Carrots.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31		12
Corn, sweet.....	Aug. 1	July 31		12
Cucumbers for pickles.....	Oct. 1	Sept. 30		12
Kraut.....	Sept. 1	Aug. 31		12
Peas.....	June 1	May 31		12
Pimientos.....	Oct. 1	Sept. 30		12
Spinach.....	Mar. 1	Feb. 28		12
Tomatoes.....	Aug. 1	July 31		12
<b>Livestock and livestock products:<sup>3</sup></b>				
Beef cattle.....	Jan. 1	Dec. 31		12
Fed cattle, <sup>4</sup> grain.....	Dec. 1	Nov. 30		12
Stockers and feeders.....	July 1	June 30		12
Hogs.....	Oct. 1	Sept. 30		12
Sheep and lambs.....	May 1	Apr. 30 <sup>5</sup>		12
Wool.....	Apr. 1	Mar. 31		12
<b>Poultry, and dairy and poultry products:</b>				
Butter <sup>6</sup> .....	Jan. 1	Dec. 31		12
Cheese <sup>6</sup> .....	do	do		12
Chickens <sup>7</sup> .....	do	do		12
Eggs <sup>8</sup> .....	do	do		12
Turkeys <sup>9</sup> .....	Oct. 1	Sept. 30		12

<sup>1</sup> With prices, the season in the early States begins from 1 to 2 months earlier than that indicated for the country as a whole.  
<sup>2</sup> Excluding strawberries.  
<sup>3</sup> All annual averages of local market prices (farm prices) are calculated on a calendar year basis.  
<sup>4</sup> Grass-fed cattle are moved during an Apr. 1 to Nov. 30 marketing season, but no separation of data available.  
<sup>5</sup> Lambs start moving from California in March and the last of the old crop is marketed in May (15 months).  
<sup>6</sup> Storage year May 1-Apr. 30.  
<sup>7</sup> Cold storage holdings: Low, Aug. 1; high, Jan. 1.  
<sup>8</sup> Cold storage holdings: Low, July 1; high, Aug. 1.  
<sup>9</sup> Cold storage holdings: Low, Oct. 1; high, Jan. 1.

General Crop Report as of November 1, 1937

Corn yields are exceeding earlier expectations particularly in the central and eastern Corn Belt and the crop is now estimated at 2,651,000,000 bushels, an increase of 89,000,000 bushels over indications a month ago. Record yields are now expected in Illinois and Indiana, and the average yield in the United States, estimated at 27.6 bushels per acre, is expected to be as high as in any year since 1923, a very favorable showing considering that in Nebraska and Kansas where one-eighth of the acreage was grown, yields were cut half or more by drought. Potatoes are quite generally yielding slightly below earlier expectations in late States but the average yield will still be close to previous high records and the crop of nearly 392,000,000 bushels is slightly above average. Beans and several kinds of fruits are also yielding above the indications of a month ago but the estimates for sweetpotatoes and grain sorghums have each been reduced about 2 percent.

Excluding cotton, crop yields are now expected to average about 5.1 percent higher than during the 1923-32 period but they will be about 24 percent above the very low average of the last 4 years. Including the exceptionally heavy yield of cotton, the composite of prospective yields of all crops, at 114.1 percent of average, is markedly higher than in any recent year. Even in 1920, the year of heaviest total crop production, yields were only 110.3 percent of the same period average.

This season's high yields, particularly those of cotton and fruits, were due primarily to weather conditions. However, more intensive methods of farming and good cultivation have been encouraged by the soil conservation program and by crop prices that were fairly high in comparison with farm wage rates. Furthermore, the development and use of improved varieties or strains are having an important effect on the yields of corn, wheat, barley, beans, soybeans, sugarcane, grain sorghum, potatoes, and other crops.

With good yields being secured on a total crop acreage that is only about 3 percent below the 1928-32 average, several crops will approach or exceed past high records of production. Some of the food crops are particularly heavy. Thus rice and dry edible beans seem likely to show record high yields and production. The soybean crop will probably be 12 percent below the high record set in 1935, but larger than in other years. Louisiana sugar production, which has been revived by new varieties of cane, will probably exceed all previous records. Sugar beets are showing a near-record yield on a rather large acreage and the total production of beet and cane sugar seems likely to be higher than in previous years, except possibly 1933.

The season was also favorable for commercial vegetable crops grown for market and for canning. Record crops of snap beans, carrots, cauliflower, celery, green peas, peppers, and tomatoes were grown for market and there was a record pack of canned vegetables with string beans, corn, lima beans, and beets particularly heavy, and peas the second largest to date.

The fruit crops and nut crops are quite uniformly large. The apple crop is the largest since 1926, the grapefruit crop is expected to be the largest except that of last year, and the orange crop will be large. Pears, grapes, and cranberries are above previous records. Improved varieties of pecans, Pacific coast walnuts, almonds, and filberts are all expected to be record crops. Peanuts harvested for the nuts are showing a high yield per acre, probably higher than in any of the last 20 years, and production is expected to be only slightly below the high records of the last 2 years.

The November reports on corn yields indicate a further easing of the feed situation. Supplies are not evenly distributed, but in the country as a whole, there is an ample supply of feed grains and roughage for present livestock, for feeding the increased number of pigs and chickens expected next spring and for rebuilding normal reserves on farms.

Index Numbers of Prices Received and Paid by Farmers

Year and month	Index numbers of prices received (August 1909=July 1914=100)							Prices paid by farmers for commodities used in (1910-14=100)			Ratio of prices received to prices paid	
	Grains	Cotton and cottonseed	Fruits	Truck crops	Meat animals	Dairy products	Chickens and eggs	All groups	Living	Production		Living and production <sup>1</sup>
1936.....	108	100	100	113	121	119	115	114	122	126	124	92
January.....	92	95	89	118	122	120	117	109	122	126	122	89
February.....	92	94	92	117	125	123	121	109	122	126	122	89
March.....	92	93	94	77	122	118	99	104	122	119	121	86
April.....	89	96	89	107	125	114	97	105	121	121	121	87
May.....	88	96	103	105	118	106	101	103	121	121	121	85
June.....	87	96	115	99	120	106	103	107	121	120	120	89
July.....	109	105	117	115	119	116	106	115	121	121	123	93
August.....	129	103	108	134	123	125	112	124	121	124	126	98
September.....	130	106	105	153	123	128	119	124	123	132	127	98
October.....	128	104	104	131	120	125	127	121	121	127	127	95
1937:												
January.....	143	107	105	115	128	128	110	131	121	121	130	101
February.....	146	108	127	143	126	126	101	127	121	121	132	96
March.....	145	116	133	131	129	125	102	128	127	139	132	97
April.....	154	117	142	127	130	120	104	130	121	121	134	97
May.....	149	112	152	139	133	116	96	128	121	121	134	96
June.....	139	107	157	124	137	113	95	124	129	141	134	93
July.....	139	105	145	96	144	116	102	125	121	121	133	94
August.....	119	90	123	104	151	119	109	123	121	121	132	93
September.....	111	74	121	117	144	123	119	118	129	132	130	91
October.....	93	67	99	130	136	128	127	112	121	128	128	88

<sup>1</sup> These index numbers are based on retail prices paid by farmers for commodities used in living and production reported quarterly for March, June, September, and December. The indexes for other months are interpolations between the successive quarterly indexes.  
<sup>2</sup> Preliminary.

Summary of the Acreage, Yield, and Production of Important Crops, for the United States

Crop	Acreage (in thousands)				Yield per acre			Production (in thousands)		
	Harvested		For harvest, 1937	1937 per cent of 1936	Average 1923-32	1936	Preliminary 1937 <sup>1</sup>	Average 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937 <sup>1</sup>
	Average 1928-32	1936								
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>		<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>	<i>Bushels</i>
Corn, all.....	103, 419	92, 829	96, 146	103.6	25. 4	16. 5	27. 6	2, 554, 772	1, 529, 327	2, 651, 393
Wheat, all.....	60, 133	48, 820	68, 198	139. 7	14. 4	12. 8	13. 0	864, 532	626, 461	886, 895
Winter.....	39, 724	37, 608	47, 079	125. 2	15. 2	13. 8	14. 6	623, 220	519, 013	688, 145
All spring.....	20, 414	11, 212	21, 119	188. 4	12. 4	9. 6	9. 4	241, 312	107, 448	198, 750
Durum.....	4, 775	1, 544	2, 841	184. 0	11. 6	5. 3	10. 0	53, 687	8, 175	28, 335
Other spring.....	15, 639	9, 668	18, 278	189. 1	12. 6	10. 3	9. 3	187, 625	99, 273	170, 415
Oats.....	40, 015	33, 213	35, 933	108. 2	30. 2	23. 8	32. 1	1, 215, 102	789, 100	1, 152, 433
Barley.....	12, 645	8, 322	11, 166	134. 2	22. 6	17. 7	20. 9	281, 237	147, 452	232, 878
Rye.....	3, 315	2, 757	3, 960	143. 6	12. 0	9. 3	13. 1	38, 212	25, 554	51, 869
Buckwheat.....	568	370	418	113. 0	15. 7	16. 8	16. 3	8, 277	6, 218	8, 802
Flaxseed.....	2, 772	1, 180	1, 081	91. 6	6. 9	5. 0	7. 1	15, 996	5, 908	7, 634
Rice.....	925	935	1, 003	107. 3	43. 2	50. 1	52. 1	42, 826	46, 833	52, 227
Grain sorghums.....	7, 016	7, 000	7, 552	107. 9	14. 7	8. 0	12. 6	97, 760	55, 701	95, 492
Potatoes.....	3, 327	3, 058	3, 224	105. 4	112. 7	107. 9	121. 5	372, 115	329, 997	391, 707
Sweet potatoes.....	771	822	826	100. 5	88. 5	78. 0	89. 3	66, 368	64, 144	73, 771
Apples, total crop.....					<sup>2</sup> 58	<sup>2</sup> 42	<sup>2</sup> 78	<sup>3</sup> 164, 355	<sup>3</sup> 117, 506	<sup>3</sup> 211, 100
Peaches, total crop.....					<sup>2</sup> 62	<sup>2</sup> 54	<sup>2</sup> 68	<sup>3</sup> 57, 298	<sup>3</sup> 47, 650	<sup>3</sup> 59, 626
Pears, total crop.....					<sup>2</sup> 69	<sup>2</sup> 65	<sup>2</sup> 69	<sup>3</sup> 24, 334	<sup>3</sup> 26, 956	<sup>3</sup> 30, 139
Cotton.....	40, 541	30, 028	33, 736	112. 3	<i>Pounds</i> 169. 9	<i>Pounds</i> 197. 6	<i>Pounds</i> 258. 8	<i>Bales</i> 14, 667	<i>Bales</i> 12, 399	<i>Bales</i> 18, 243
Beans, dry edible.....	1, 806	1, 562	1, 794	114. 9	666	712	835	<i>Bags</i> <sup>4</sup> 12, 181	<i>Bags</i> <sup>4</sup> 11, 122	<i>Bags</i> <sup>4</sup> 14, 982
Tobacco.....	1, 872	1, 437	1, 690	117. 6	770	802	879	<i>Pounds</i> 1, 427, 174	<i>Pounds</i> 1, 153, 083	<i>Pounds</i> 1, 485, 148
Peanuts (for nuts).....	1, 417	1, 736	1, 666	96. 0	690	749	767	<i>Pounds</i> 946, 231	<i>Pounds</i> 1, 300, 540	<i>Pounds</i> 1, 277, 130
Hops.....	23	32	35	111. 4	1, 274	740	1, 254	28, 011	23, 310	44, 024
Hay:					<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>
Tame.....	55, 153	57, 055	55, 773	97. 8	1. 29	1. 11	1. 34	70, 146	63, 309	74, 576
Wild.....	13, 288	10, 694	12, 546	117. 3	. 82	. 65	. 79	10, 719	6, 915	9, 943
All.....	68, 441	67, 749	68, 319	100. 8	1. 20	1. 04	1. 24	80, 865	70, 224	84, 519
Clover and timothy <sup>5</sup> .....	26, 872	22, 010	19, 674	89. 4	1. 15	. 97	1. 24	30, 554	21, 324	24, 412
Alfalfa.....	11, 720	14, 034	14, 177	101. 0	2. 06	1. 76	1. 93	23, 544	24, 750	27, 364
Grapes <sup>6</sup> .....					<sup>7</sup> 25	<sup>7</sup> 62	<sup>7</sup> 88	<sup>3</sup> 2, 214	<sup>3</sup> 1, 916	<sup>3</sup> 2, 732
Sugar beets.....	717	776	778	100. 3	<sup>7</sup> 11. 0	<sup>7</sup> 11. 6	<sup>7</sup> 11. 7	9, 028	9, 028	9, 089
Sorgo sirup.....	201	215	198	92. 1	<i>Gallons</i> 62. 1	<i>Gallons</i> 55. 1	<i>Gallons</i> 61. 8	<i>Gallons</i> 12, 467	<i>Gallons</i> 11, 848	<i>Gallons</i> 12, 239
Sugarcane sirup.....	111	140	138	98. 6	<i>Gallons</i> 154. 2	<i>Gallons</i> 164. 2	<i>Gallons</i> 170. 8	<i>Gallons</i> 17, 800	<i>Gallons</i> 22, 995	<i>Gallons</i> 23, 569

<sup>1</sup> For certain crops, figures are not based on current indications, but are carried forward from previous reports.  
<sup>2</sup> Production in percentage of a full crop.  
<sup>3</sup> Excludes sweetclover and lespedeza.  
<sup>4</sup> Includes some quantities not harvested.  
<sup>5</sup> Bags of 100 pounds.  
<sup>6</sup> Production includes all grapes for fresh fruit, juice, wine, and raisins.  
<sup>7</sup> Short-time average.

Crop Yield and Production Estimates Nov. 1, 1937, With Comparisons

State	Corn <sup>1</sup>						Pasture condition Nov. 1		State	Corn <sup>1</sup>						Pasture condition Nov. 1	
	Yield per acre			Production			1936	1937		Yield per acre			Production			1936	1937
	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937				Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937		
	<i>Bu.</i>	<i>Bu.</i>	<i>Bu.</i>	<i>1,000 bu.</i>	<i>1,000 bu.</i>	<i>1,000 bu.</i>	<i>Pct.</i>	<i>Pct.</i>		<i>Bu.</i>	<i>Bu.</i>	<i>Bu.</i>	<i>1,000 bu.</i>	<i>1,000 bu.</i>	<i>1,000 bu.</i>	<i>Pct.</i>	<i>Pct.</i>
Maine.....	38. 6	39. 0	38. 0	508	468	418	75	76	North Carolina.....	17. 8	18. 5	19. 5	38, 415	43, 475	45, 357	75	76
New Hampshire.....	41. 6	41. 0	42. 0	551	656	630	70	76	South Carolina.....	13. 6	14. 5	15. 5	20, 240	23, 635	25, 017	61	62
Vermont.....	39. 9	39. 0	39. 0	2, 604	2, 964	2, 886	74	80	Georgia.....	10. 4	8. 0	11. 5	36, 288	33, 624	47, 368	67	68
Massachusetts.....	41. 9	42. 0	42. 0	1, 621	1, 638	1, 680	82	82	Florida.....	10. 8	9. 0	11. 0	6, 506	7, 029	9, 020	79	82
Rhode Island.....	40. 1	38. 0	40. 0	341	342	360	80	78	Kentucky.....	22. 4	18. 0	26. 0	60, 301	54, 486	79, 482	64	65
Connecticut.....	39. 4	38. 0	39. 0	2, 024	1, 938	1, 989	77	82	Tennessee.....	20. 9	20. 0	24. 0	58, 519	57, 160	68, 592	59	68
New York.....	34. 2	31. 0	36. 0	20, 033	19, 840	24, 408	79	79	Alabama.....	12. 9	12. 5	14. 5	35, 533	41, 162	45, 834	63	68
New Jersey.....	39. 1	36. 5	42. 0	6, 755	7, 373	8, 652	66	76	Mississippi.....	14. 7	14. 5	17. 5	32, 192	39, 570	45, 378	52	72
Pennsylvania.....	39. 0	41. 5	46. 0	45, 487	54, 572	61, 686	71	78	Arkansas.....	16. 3	12. 5	20. 0	31, 540	26, 738	40, 640	56	71
Ohio.....	36. 6	33. 0	42. 5	129, 257	121, 605	166, 005	75	78	Louisiana.....	14. 4	14. 0	17. 5	18, 756	20, 734	24, 360	66	78
Indiana.....	34. 6	25. 5	45. 0	155, 968	115, 413	209, 790	74	78	Oklahoma.....	16. 6	6. 5	18. 0	51, 842	11, 772	30, 636	44	52
Illinois.....	36. 0	23. 5	46. 0	336, 738	217, 751	434, 746	66	68	Texas.....	16. 8	15. 0	16. 0	81, 922	68, 925	72, 048	70	62
Michigan.....	29. 8	24. 5	36. 0	39, 171	36, 750	58, 320	78	73	Montana.....	11. 8	7. 5	8. 5	1, 401	540	1, 156	35	58
Wisconsin.....	32. 0	20. 0	32. 0	69, 926	44, 080	76, 864	78	57	Idaho.....	33. 7	33. 0	36. 0	1, 322	957	1, 152	69	79
Minnesota.....	31. 2	19. 0	35. 5	143, 136	88, 331	169, 974	50	64	Wyoming.....	13. 9	6. 0	9. 5	2, 341	984	2, 574	52	82
Iowa.....	37. 8	20. 0	45. 0	438, 792	212, 240	496, 620	68	67	Colorado.....	13. 2	9. 0	6. 3	20, 847	11, 169	8, 133	70	56
Missouri.....	27. 1	29. 0	30. 0	146, 489	40, 032	124, 308	50	51	New Mexico.....	14. 2	11. 5	13. 5	3, 528	2, 185	3, 105	58	72
North Dakota.....	18. 5	3. 4	16. 5	18, 522	2, 530	17, 804	19	44	Arizona.....	16. 3	14. 0	15. 0	474	490	525	86	83
South Dakota.....	19. 2	3. 4	14. 5	78, 447	8, 446	45, 748	20	43	Utah.....	25. 5	25. 0	27. 0	465	525	594	76	84
Nebraska.....	24. 0	3. 5	9. 5	223, 843	26, 859	83, 106	34	40	Nevada.....	21. 7	26. 0	30. 0	51	52	60	83	81
Kansas.....	19. 3	4. 0	10. 0	126, 756	11, 036	32, 280	39	41	Washington.....	35. 1	34. 0	37. 0	1, 246	1, 054	1, 184	73	82
Delaware.....	31. 0	36. 0	36. 0	14, 431	18, 396	18, 576	66	80	Oregon.....	30. 4	30. 5	33. 0	1, 902	1, 922	2, 310	59	85
Maryland.....	21. 7	21. 5	26. 0	30, 388	30, 014	38, 844	68	88	California.....	31. 0	33. 5	33. 5	2, 620	2, 178	2, 010	73	76
Virginia.....	21. 7	21. 5	26. 0	30, 388	30, 014	38, 844	68	88	United States.....	25. 4	16. 5	27. 6	2, 554, 772	1, 529, 327	2, 651, 393	61	65
West Virginia.....	25. 0	23. 0	28. 0	11, 054	11, 569	14, 784	66	79									

<sup>1</sup> Grain equivalent on acreage for all purposes.

Crop Yield and Production Estimates Nov. 1, 1937, With Comparisons—Continued

State	Buckwheat						Flaxseed						Grain sorghums <sup>1</sup>					
	Yield per acre			Production			Yield per acre			Production			Yield per acre			Production		
	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	
Maine.....	19.7	16.0	18.0	207	160	198												
Vermont.....	21.3	22.0	24.0	41	44	48												
New York.....	17.1	18.0	17.0	2,692	2,016	2,278												
New Jersey.....	19.8	22.0	23.0	20	22	23												
Pennsylvania.....	17.4	19.5	17.5	2,576	2,418	2,275												
Ohio.....	17.1	16.0	16.5	410	320	330												
Indiana.....	13.7	13.0	13.5	191	104	162												
Illinois.....	13.7	13.5	15.0	60	68	75												
Michigan.....	11.8	11.5	14.5	288	172	290	10.0	5.5	10.0	38	60	70						
Wisconsin.....	12.1	10.0	10.0	197	100	140	11.5	10.0	10.0	79	40	40						
Minnesota.....	10.6	8.3	10.5	479	100	105	9.3	5.3	9.0	6,040	4,235	4,023						
Iowa.....	13.7	9.0	11.0	58	27	66	9.8	8.0	10.0	178	80	100						
Missouri.....	11.0	9.5	10.0	10	10	10	5.6	4.0	4.0	12	20	20	13.4	6.0	16.0	1,786	1,428	5,712
North Dakota.....	10.1	1.5	10.0	139	2	20	6.1	2.7	4.7	5,944	551	2,110						
South Dakota.....	10.2	5.5	6.0	134	6	6	6.1	2.5	4.2	2,170	132	252						
Nebraska.....							6.9	1.0	4.0	79	2	4	13.3	6.5	8.5	268	884	1,564
Kansas.....							6.3	4.0	6.0	241	168	276	15.0	4.5	8.5	15,987	5,463	12,384
Delaware.....	11.1	12.0	13.0	11	12	13												
Maryland.....	19.3	18.0	20.5	120	90	123												
Virginia.....	13.0	14.0	13.5	171	196	189												
West Virginia.....	17.5	15.0	17.5	359	255	350												
North Carolina.....	13.1	15.0	13.0	58	60	52												
Kentucky.....	10.0	7.0	11.0	21	14	22												
Tennessee.....	13.2	11.0	13.5	25	22	27												
Arkansas.....																		
Oklahoma.....													10.2	8.0	11.0	588	656	814
Texas.....													11.3	5.0	10.0	14,505	6,580	15,000
Montana.....																		
Colorado.....							5.6	4.0	2.5	1,149	32	25	16.0	9.5	16.0	55,091	31,711	49,664
New Mexico.....													10.0	9.0	4.0	2,253	1,953	1,360
Arizona.....													15.7	6.5	12.0	4,338	1,950	4,500
California.....													23.6	28.5	27.5	784	1,083	770
United States.....	15.7	16.8	16.3	8,277	6,218	6,802	6.9	5.0	7.1	15,996	5,908	7,634	14.7	8.0	12.6	97,760	55,701	95,492

State	Soybeans									Cowpeas								
	Acreage harvested for beans <sup>2</sup>		Yield per acre			Production				Acreage harvested for peas <sup>2</sup>		Yield per acre			Production			
	1936	1937	Average, 1924-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937		1936	1937	Average, 1924-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937	
1,000 acres	1,000 acres	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.		1,000 acres	1,000 acres	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.		
New York.....	1	1		13.0	18.0			13	18									
Pennsylvania.....	2	6		15.0	16.0			30	96									
Ohio.....	135	141	14.6	15.5	18.5	522	2,092	2,608										
Indiana.....	282	324	13.6	14.0	17.0	1,982	3,948	5,508	7	6	8.1	8.0	9.0	55	56	54		
Illinois.....	1,076	1,124	15.5	16.0	19.5	5,869	17,216	21,918	41	47	7.8	6.5	8.0	467	266	376		
Michigan.....	15	15	12.0	12.0	14.5	43	180	218										
Wisconsin.....	2	3	10.7	10.0	13.0	25	20	39										
Iowa.....	191	219	15.0	13.0	18.5	736	2,483	4,052										
Missouri.....	49	65	8.3	5.0	10.0	800	215	650	4	14	7.7	4.5	8.0	138	18	112		
Kansas.....	6	5	9.6	4.0	8.0	64	24	40	1	1	8.2	4.0	7.0	7	4	7		
Delaware.....	17	22	13.0	13.0	14.5	175	221	319	1	1	10.9	10.0	12.0	13	10	12		
Maryland.....	5	7	12.0	11.5	14.5	59	58	102	1	1	7.6	8.5	9.0	8	8	9		
Virginia.....	24	24	12.1	11.0	13.5	218	264	324	10	11	9.0	9.0	10.5	73	90	116		
West Virginia.....	1	1	12.3	11.0	13.0	20	11	13										
North Carolina.....	118	130	13.3	12.5	13.0	1,187	1,475	1,690	55	65	8.3	7.0	7.5	287	385	488		
South Carolina.....	10	10	6.5	6.5	6.0	58	65	60	241	248	5.7	6.0	5.5	724	1,446	1,364		
Georgia.....	12	12	5.9	5.7	6.2	49	68	74	182	160	5.6	6.1	6.0	682	1,110	960		
Florida.....									9	8	8.9	7.5	9.0	78	68	72		
Kentucky.....	9	8	9.6	9.5	10.5	87	86	84	6	6	8.8	8.5	8.5	70	51	51		
Tennessee.....	19	29	7.8	7.0	7.5	150	133	218	52	35	5.8	5.2	5.5	169	166	192		
Alabama.....	22	18	5.8	6.0	6.5	38	132	117	197	212	5.8	5.8	6.0	557	1,143	1,272		
Mississippi.....	66	40	8.8	7.0	8.5	137	462	340	139	126	6.1	5.5	6.5	393	764	819		
Arkansas.....	30	35	8.5	7.0	10.0	79	210	350	97	110	7.6	6.0	7.5	453	582	825		
Louisiana.....	17	15	8.1	9.0	7.8	137	153	117	43	58	8.6	7.0	6.8	227	301	394		
Oklahoma.....	2	3	9.8	6.0	9.5	57	12	28	8	32	7.2	4.5	6.0	207	36	192		
Texas.....	2	2		7.5	7.0			15	14	187	193	7.9	6.0	6.5	782	1,122	1,254	
United States.....	2,113	2,259	13.0	14.0	17.3	12,491	29,616	38,997	1,261	1,334	6.8	6.0	6.4	5,392	7,626	8,569		

<sup>1</sup> Grain equivalent on acreage for all purposes.

<sup>2</sup> Short-time average.

<sup>3</sup> Solid equivalent of acres harvested for beans or peas. Includes allowance for soybeans or cowpeas grown with corn and other crops in Southern States.

Crop Yield and Production Estimates Nov. 1, 1937, With Comparisons—Continued

State	Sorgo sirup						Tobacco						Sweet potatoes					
	Yield per acre			Production			Yield per acre			Production			Yield per acre			Production		
	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	Preliminary 1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	Preliminary 1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
Gal.	Gal.	Gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	
Massachusetts							1,376	1,547	1,436	11,310	6,651	7,326						
Connecticut							1,348	1,470	1,369	29,829	21,310	23,412						
New York							1,136	1,325	1,350	1,444	795	1,215						
New Jersey													126	150	145	1,738	2,400	2,320
Pennsylvania							1,263	1,450	1,203	48,974	33,650	28,510						
Ohio							850	863	938	41,077	20,285	28,040						
Indiana	66	45	65	143	135	195	828	700	881	13,266	4,480	8,460	116	80	125	415	320	500
Illinois	67	41	74	130	82	148							93	60	85	535	300	510
Wisconsin							1,195	1,450	1,299	46,826	18,846	22,864						
Minnesota							1,133	1,150	1,150	1,876	230	460						
Iowa	84	70	112	230	210	336							93	75	90	257	225	270
Missouri	57	31	46	646	341	506	962	675	925	5,836	2,632	4,532	94	58	85	845	754	1,190
Kansas	52	30	50	134	60	100							118	60	85	567	240	340
Delaware													129	130	130	898	910	780
Maryland							751	800	700	24,318	29,600	24,850	147	150	130	1,299	1,200	1,040
Virginia	63	58	70	161	174	210	650	773	754	98,409	96,734	106,156	123	118	130	4,270	4,366	5,070
West Virginia							736	675	700	4,224	1,282	2,380						
North Carolina	67	70	70	1,376	1,260	1,260	689	766	863	469,135	457,375	577,190	96	90	96	7,141	7,560	8,160
South Carolina	52	48	46	404	336	322	692	815	950	75,918	73,350	106,400	82	85	90	4,648	4,845	4,860
Georgia	63	65	66	898	975	924	764	970	1,083	70,159	83,035	77,733	74	65	75	7,304	6,630	7,575
Florida							883	930	876	7,786	10,040	14,190	80	65	60	1,583	1,235	1,200
Kentucky	59	45	60	725	585	840	790	706	848	362,587	216,438	343,840	86	61	90	1,537	1,342	2,160
Tennessee	58	46	57	1,206	874	969	801	819	851	114,030	76,205	107,250	95	77	102	5,340	3,696	5,406
Alabama	66	72	70	2,516	2,736	1,960							84	77	88	6,539	6,160	7,216
Mississippi	77	76	75	1,606	1,520	1,275							92	83	93	6,136	6,474	6,882
Arkansas	56	40	58	969	1,160	1,508							90	55	95	2,675	2,145	3,325
Louisiana													71	69	75	5,439	7,797	8,850
Oklahoma	46	25	42	208	50	126							86	35	63	1,393	525	816
Texas	56	45	52	1,115	1,350	1,560							76	65	72	4,734	3,640	3,744
California													99	115	105	1,075	1,380	1,260
United States	62.1	55.1	61.8	12,467	11,848	12,239	770.4	802.5	878.9	1,427,174	1,153,083	1,485,148	88.5	78.0	89.3	66,368	64,144	73,774

State	Beans, dry, edible <sup>1</sup>					
	Yield per acre			Production		
	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	1,000 bags <sup>2</sup>	1,000 bags <sup>2</sup>	1,000 bags <sup>2</sup>	
Maine	<sup>3</sup> 829	880	890	70	70	80
Vermont	<sup>3</sup> 617	600	650	19	18	20
New York	735	600	800	857	852	1,294
Michigan	657	570	960	3,638	2,656	4,694
Wisconsin	453	390	370	27	12	15
Minnesota	524	300	370	21	6	15
Nebraska	562	940	1,050	60	113	231
Kansas	<sup>3</sup> 411	180	40	7		
Montana	930	1,200	1,200	357	168	240
Idaho	1,115	1,200	1,320	1,546	1,248	1,610
Wyoming	869	1,150	1,050	306	460	567
Colorado	328	380	240	1,232	1,091	806
New Mexico	324	240	400	615	288	525
Arizona	449	510	475	36	46	43
Oregon	<sup>3</sup> 530	600	750	314	6	8
California	1,016	1,176	1,267	3,348	4,081	4,864
United States	665.7	712.0	835.1	12,181	11,122	14,982

**Stocks of Wheat in Interior Mills, Elevators, and Warehouses, Combined With Stocks on Farms**

Class	Oct. 1, 1934	Oct. 1, 1935	Oct. 1, 1936	Oct. 1, 1937
	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.
Hard red winter	118,738	102,752	102,144	168,621
Soft red winter	112,509	118,642	105,398	136,891
Hard red spring	54,888	74,958	48,015	76,742
Durum	9,588	17,919	10,641	19,765
White	64,301	57,940	72,957	89,034
Total	360,024	372,211	339,155	491,053

State	Rice						Sugarcane sirup					
	Yield per acre			Production			Yield per acre			Production		
	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	Preliminary 1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	Gal.	Gal.	Gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	1,000 gal.	
S. C.							90	100	105	509	400	420
Ga.							140	138	155	4,157	4,830	5,115
Fla.							163	165	144	1,657	2,145	2,016
Ala.							116	123	130	2,142	3,321	3,640
Miss.							136	130	155	2,654	3,640	4,185
Ark.	47.4	53.0	54.0	8,502	7,950	8,640	93	90	175	121	90	175
La.	36.6	43.0	47.0	17,853	19,135	20,915	237	309	290	5,371	7,729	7,250
Tex.	46.2	51.0	50.0	9,029	10,200	12,200	127	120	128	1,189	840	7,680
Calif.	58.3	68.2	68.0	7,442	9,548	10,472						
U. S.	43.2	50.1	52.1	42,826	46,833	52,227	154.2	164.2	170.8	17,800	22,995	23,569

**Stocks of Wheat in Interior Mills, Elevators, and Warehouses, Oct. 1, 1935, 1936, and 1937**

State	1935	1936	1937	State	1935	1936	1937
	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.		1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.
New England	75	70	87	Maryland	860	1,120	1,035
New York	1,100	950	800	Virginia	800	900	1,000
New Jersey	175	175	150	Kentucky	650	800	1,000
Pennsylvania	2,500	1,600	2,000	Tennessee	600	825	1,270
Ohio	3,500	4,200	3,900	Oklahoma	2,000	2,400	4,300
Indiana	3,000	3,250	4,500	Texas	2,300	3,200	5,200
Illinois	2,000	1,250	4,500	Other Southern	787	735	845
Michigan	1,840	1,850	1,800	Montana	6,000	2,800	5,300
Wisconsin	90	150	120	Idaho	11,300	11,000	15,000
Minnesota	2,100	2,400	3,000	Wyoming	400	375	525
Iowa	500	500	900	Colorado	2,000	3,250	3,700
Missouri	3,500	3,400	6,000	Utah	1,000	900	775
North Dakota	7,800	5,600	12,000	Washington	21,500	26,300	31,600
South Dakota	2,500	1,500	2,200	Oregon	6,100	9,500	12,100
Nebraska	3,600	4,200	7,000	California	6,300	8,000	8,830
Kansas	5,800	10,000	14,500	Other Western	365	450	470
United States	103,042	113,650	157,307				

<sup>1</sup> Includes beans grown for seed. <sup>2</sup> Bags of 100 pounds. <sup>3</sup> Short-time average.

## Crop Yield and Production Estimates Nov. 1, 1937, With Comparisons—Continued

State	Apples						Pears						Grapes					
	Total production						Production						Production					
	Percent of a full crop			Average, 1923-32	1936	Preliminary 1937	Percent of a full crop			Average, 1923-32	1936	Preliminary 1937	Percent of a full crop			Average, 1923-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937				Average, 1923-32	1936	1937				Average, 1923-32	1936	1937			
			1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.				1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.	1,000 bu.				Tons	Tons	Tons	
Maine.....	62	32	62	1,854	608	1,147	68	38	42	14	8	8	80	46	68	38	20	30
New Hampshire.....	67	26	73	1,047	436	1,204	74	33	68	13	7	15	80	46	83	78	70	120
Vermont.....	66	17	89	861	226	1,175	67	15	50	10	2	6	74	35	90	42	20	50
Massachusetts.....	67	44	70	3,096	2,200	3,465	71	57	58	70	65	65	80	65	87	526	660	900
Rhode Island.....	67	45	50	393	310	345	74	67	77	10	10	12	81	70	92	286	290	370
Connecticut.....	66	54	78	1,472	1,490	2,122	72	65	64	43	49	48	83	75	80	1,794	2,320	2,520
New York.....	54	34	76	19,597	11,876	24,700	58	47	50	1,361	1,231	1,305	71	44	81	84,100	49,300	89,100
New Jersey.....	66	57	90	3,413	3,460	5,463	67	72	62	103	68	56	84	69	88	3,040	3,100	4,000
Pennsylvania.....	54	41	82	9,809	8,405	16,728	66	49	67	519	588	817	72	48	78	25,180	16,000	26,000
Ohio.....	50	19	81	6,870	3,059	12,636	63	31	80	467	384	992	75	62	88	27,140	26,400	37,800
Indiana.....	52	18	93	2,051	828	3,757	62	25	90	276	176	630	72	45	85	3,600	3,100	5,300
Illinois.....	52	16	80	4,581	1,834	8,960	56	21	90	475	244	999	71	43	86	6,080	4,300	8,600
Michigan.....	54	52	88	7,182	8,524	14,432	61	72	69	749	1,390	1,380	68	48	85	67,960	38,700	67,200
Wisconsin.....	66	40	80	1,775	1,056	2,080	75	59	81	75	59	81	75	59	81	374	320	450
Minnesota.....	63	33	55	918	454	737	73	45	63	73	45	63	73	45	63	278	170	260
Iowa.....	57	34	54	1,512	748	1,174	66	27	85	94	45	144	76	35	70	7,020	2,600	5,000
Missouri.....	46	11	86	2,438	550	4,214	57	12	90	314	92	684	74	36	76	9,660	5,800	12,300
South Dakota.....	57	8	21	144	18	44	58	20	45	39	19	43	74	25	38	2,840	1,000	1,800
Nebraska.....	53	27	45	556	302	477	58	20	45	39	19	43	74	25	38	2,840	1,000	1,800
Kansas.....	49	9	63	1,040	220	1,449	56	7	83	144	26	220	74	17	53	4,420	1,200	3,600
Delaware.....	67	70	100	1,421	1,925	2,750	61	77	66	25	12	10	85	80	90	2,120	2,000	2,200
Maryland.....	59	51	73	2,067	2,014	2,847	66	69	52	104	101	73	77	77	78	694	740	750
Virginia.....	53	31	75	13,116	8,500	18,000	49	49	57	284	360	416	73	67	76	1,900	2,600	3,000
West Virginia.....	52	32	82	6,837	4,395	10,004	45	12	79	63	17	111	63	37	73	1,214	960	1,900
North Carolina.....	51	35	85	3,199	1,890	4,505	52	49	58	220	240	281	76	81	82	4,704	7,900	8,100
South Carolina.....	55	49	74	254	245	363	61	66	43	96	112	72	74	75	75	1,076	1,950	1,990
Georgia.....	54	46	72	1,049	966	1,483	61	74	46	226	396	244	73	74	73	992	1,850	1,860
Florida.....	65	84	67	68	156	127	77	78	66	816	840	710	710	710	710	816	840	710
Kentucky.....	49	13	86	2,377	598	3,870	53	15	79	194	80	411	69	61	81	1,144	2,200	2,960
Tennessee.....	48	30	86	1,950	1,200	3,354	54	32	49	239	186	284	71	70	78	1,406	2,340	2,650
Alabama.....	49	48	61	648	701	878	61	67	39	292	368	211	72	65	70	894	1,560	1,680
Mississippi.....	51	57	57	173	216	219	63	86	27	234	484	157	72	70	69	260	320	320
Arkansas.....	50	13	85	1,629	364	2,295	53	26	62	138	90	214	71	44	80	10,860	7,000	12,800
Louisiana.....	47	45	41	21	18	16	66	77	30	89	179	70	66	73	56	54	70	50
Oklahoma.....	46	2	70	381	19	648	43	3	60	130	5	141	68	25	65	3,050	1,600	4,000
Texas.....	47	35	62	141	98	170	57	50	58	372	360	412	71	53	66	2,100	2,300	2,900
Montana.....	60	18	76	536	144	562	74	72	67	64	60	56	90	82	70	546	550	470
Idaho.....	75	47	84	2,050	2,900	5,124	74	72	67	64	60	56	90	82	70	546	550	470
Wyoming.....	72	31	85	48	17	48	70	64	45	340	220	153	77	73	69	412	600	570
Colorado.....	63	68	47	2,051	2,050	1,437	70	64	45	340	220	153	77	73	69	412	600	570
New Mexico.....	57	50	73	842	790	1,132	52	40	70	44	34	59	75	87	79	940	1,300	1,180
Arizona.....	68	70	69	83	92	91	72	70	60	14	10	8	86	67	80	1,606	500	560
Utah.....	72	73	74	778	540	540	70	87	44	83	125	64	88	91	57	1,084	1,020	630
Nevada.....	60	82	69	52	48	40	61	84	63	4	5	4	85	76	86	94	90	100
Washington.....	73	64	74	233,768	28,000	30,340	74	77	78	3,921	5,400	5,694	84	80	70	5,600	4,600	4,100
Oregon.....	73	78	71	2,512	4,250	3,763	80	80	71	2,855	3,760	3,621	87	82	79	2,460	2,200	2,100
California.....	72	71	83	2,101,56	8,922	10,292	78	70	71	9,534	9,792	9,822	75	63	89	21,924,000	1,714,000	2,409,000
Wine varieties.....													78	72	87	2,417,800	472,000	572,000
Raisin varieties.....													75	58	91	2,161,400	918,000	1,438,000
Dried <sup>3</sup> .....																219,740	182,000	182,000
Not dried.....																282,400	190,000	190,000
Table varieties.....													72	69	85	2,344,800	324,000	399,000
United States.....	58	42	78	164,355	117,506	211,100	69	65	69	24,334	26,956	30,139	75	62	88	2,214,482	1,916,460	2,731,980

<sup>1</sup> Short-time average. <sup>2</sup> Includes some quantities not harvested on account of market conditions. <sup>3</sup> Dried basis: 1 ton of dried raisins equivalent to 4 tons of fresh grapes

## Cattle Feeding Situation, November 1, 1937

Developments in the cattle feeding situation during October continue to point to a considerable increase in cattle feeding in the Corn Belt States in the winter and spring of 1937-38 over a year earlier.

The Bureau of Agricultural Economics reports that shipments of stocker and feeder cattle into the Corn Belt through stockyards markets were about 20 percent larger in October this year than last, but were 10 percent smaller than in 1935 and only about equal to the 5-year (1932-36) October average. Most of the increase in October this year over last year was in the number going into the States west of the Mississippi River, largely into Iowa and Nebraska.

For the 4 months, July through October, shipments from stockyards into the Corn Belt States were about 15 percent larger this year than in 1936, about the same as in 1935 and about 6 percent larger than the 5-year (1932-36) average. The proportion of these shipments going into the States east of the

Mississippi River was much the largest on record, and the total number was also the largest. For the 5 years prior to the 1934 drought, the number going into the Eastern Corn Belt was about 29 percent of the total, whereas this year it was nearly 50 percent. Although the number going into the States west of the Mississippi was considerably larger this year than last, it was the second smallest on record, and much below the average for the years before 1934.

Available information indicates that direct shipments of stocker and feeder cattle, not going through stockyards markets, into the Corn Belt were no larger, and probably smaller from July through October, this year than last. In addition to the number of feeder cattle shipped in this year, relatively large numbers of cattle were carried over for feeding out this year. After making allowance for the cattle carried over, however, it would appear that the number of cattle to be fed this year, while much larger than last, will not be large in comparison with numbers fed in most years before 1934.



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## Potatoes 1

State and group	Yield per acre			Production		
	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
<b>Surplus late potato States:</b>	<i>Bu.</i>	<i>Bu.</i>	<i>Bu.</i>	<i>1,000 bu.</i>	<i>1,000 bu.</i>	<i>1,000 bu.</i>
Maine.....	258	275	270	44,078	44,000	48,330
New York.....	118	120	125	27,942	26,400	28,625
Pennsylvania.....	112	132	122	24,653	26,268	24,766
3 Eastern.....	151.3	167.0	166.5	96,673	96,668	101,721
Michigan.....	99	95	105	23,371	26,125	29,715
Wisconsin.....	100	82	76	24,311	20,090	18,772
Minnesota.....	93	47	102	29,620	12,502	25,500
North Dakota.....	76	55	94	8,807	5,170	11,468
South Dakota.....	77	29	56	3,971	783	1,568
5 Central.....	93.3	71.3	93.6	90,081	64,670	87,023
Nebraska.....	82	55	85	9,526	4,730	6,290
Montana.....	101	95	100	2,042	1,520	2,100
Idaho.....	200	210	230	21,723	22,260	27,370
Wyoming.....	102	65	92	2,422	1,365	2,208
Colorado.....	149	185	145	14,584	18,500	15,370
Utah.....	153	150	165	2,082	1,830	2,211
Nevada.....	142	140	160	491	406	480
Washington.....	162	178	183	8,047	8,010	9,400
Oregon.....	117	170	160	5,084	7,310	7,840
California.....	185	265	260	7,718	12,985	16,900
10 Western.....	141.9	164.0	171.9	73,719	78,916	90,169
Total 18 surplus late.....	121.3	122.1	135.0	260,473	240,254	278,913
<b>Other late potato States:</b>						
New Hampshire.....	140	170	150	1,350	1,666	1,530
Vermont.....	132	145	135	2,206	2,392	2,254
Massachusetts.....	123	150	130	1,598	2,415	2,223
Rhode Island.....	139	180	180	376	720	774
Connecticut.....	132	170	170	1,978	2,839	2,924
5 New England.....	131.5	159.0	148.2	7,509	10,032	9,705
West Virginia.....	94	60	102	3,445	1,920	3,264
Ohio.....	96	108	82	11,435	14,040	10,578
Indiana.....	90	81	100	5,198	4,617	5,700
Illinois.....	87	62	78	4,511	2,696	3,354
Iowa.....	90	53	84	7,047	3,551	5,376
5 Central.....	92.2	81.4	87.0	31,636	26,794	28,272
New Mexico.....	68	90	72	346	450	432
Arizona.....	72	90	80	222	180	160
2 Southwestern.....	69.4	90.0	74.0	568	630	592
Total 12 other late.....	97.4	93.9	96.8	39,713	37,456	38,569
30 late States.....	117.4	117.4	128.9	300,186	277,710	317,482
<b>Intermediate potato States:</b>						
New Jersey.....	144	166	180	6,603	9,130	10,440
Delaware.....	85	95	95	406	475	570
Maryland.....	102	105	118	3,339	2,940	3,304
Virginia.....	126	90	117	14,328	7,380	10,998
Kentucky.....	84	36	93	4,207	1,692	4,371
Missouri.....	89	52	90	5,451	2,860	4,770
Kansas.....	99	57	74	4,878	1,710	2,516
Total 7 intermediate.....	110.0	86.7	115.5	39,212	26,187	36,969
37 late and intermediate.....	116.5	113.9	127.3	339,398	303,897	354,451
<b>Early potato States:</b>						
North Carolina.....	98	73	102	7,540	5,986	9,384
South Carolina.....	122	92	125	2,748	1,656	2,875
Georgia.....	64	48	68	939	768	1,224
Florida.....	105	87	120	2,956	2,349	4,080
Tennessee.....	72	37	79	3,040	1,480	3,002
Alabama.....	76	87	85	2,359	2,784	3,655
Mississippi.....	72	68	72	834	1,088	1,440
Arkansas.....	75	55	71	3,010	2,365	3,053
Louisiana.....	60	68	63	2,355	2,652	2,709
Oklahoma.....	75	64	74	3,245	2,112	2,442
Texas.....	68	65	64	3,692	2,860	3,392
Total 11 early States.....	81.8	66.9	84.7	32,717	26,100	37,256
Total United States.....	112.7	107.9	121.5	372,115	329,997	391,707

<sup>1</sup> Estimates for each State cover the entire crop, whether commercial or noncommercial, early or late.

## Cranberries

State	Acreage		Yield per acre			Production		
	1936	1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Acres</i>	<i>Bbl.</i>	<i>Bbl.</i>	<i>Bbl.</i>	<i>Bbl.</i>	<i>Bbl.</i>	<i>Bbl.</i>
Massachusetts.....	13,700	13,700	29.6	25.3	34.7	407,800	346,000	475,000
New Jersey.....	11,000	11,000	12.9	6.8	14.5	118,800	75,000	160,000
Wisconsin.....	2,300	2,400	18.2	27.0	47.9	51,400	62,000	115,000
Washington.....	560	580	125.7	29.8	36.2	10,603	16,700	21,000
Oregon.....	150	138.0	30.7	34.0	34.0	4,420	4,600	5,100
United States.....	27,710	27,830	21.8	18.2	27.9	593,023	504,300	776,100

<sup>1</sup> Short-time average.

## Citrus Fruits

Crop and State	Condition Nov. 1 1			Production 1		
	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Indicated Nov. 1, 1937
<b>Oranges:</b>	<i>Pct.</i>	<i>Pct.</i>	<i>Pct.</i>	<i>1,000 boxes</i>	<i>1,000 boxes</i>	<i>1,000 boxes</i>
California, all.....	80	77	75	33,022	30,063	-----
Valencias.....	80	77	76	17,422	16,829	(?)
Navels and miscellaneous.....	79	76	74	15,600	13,234	14,726
Florida, all.....	76	75	80	15,105	22,500	24,000
Early and midseason.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	12,000	12,800
Valencias.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	7,500	8,700
Tangerines.....	<sup>3</sup> 71	78	53	-----	3,000	2,500
Satsumas.....	<sup>3</sup> 64	66	54	-----	-----	-----
Texas.....	-----	77	63	294	2,000	1,900
Arizona.....	-----	53	78	133	175	323
Alabama.....	-----	85	67	100	56	45
Mississippi.....	-----	35	84	41	26	67
Louisiana.....	-----	95	58	243	309	200
7 States 4.....	-----	-----	-----	48,939	55,129	-----
<b>Grapefruit:</b>						
Florida, all.....	70	74	52	11,657	18,100	13,000
Seedless.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	6,000	5,000
Other.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	12,100	8,000
California.....	-----	76	66	1,209	1,550	1,755
Texas.....	-----	74	62	1,457	9,231	8,400
Arizona.....	-----	63	86	408	1,400	2,300
4 States 4.....	-----	-----	-----	14,730	30,281	25,455
<b>Lemons:</b>						
California 4.....	80	77	62	7,208	8,102	(?)
<b>Limes:</b>						
Florida.....	68	75	70	8	20	(?)

<sup>1</sup> Relates to crop from bloom of year shown, picking beginning Nov. 1 in California and Sept. 1 in other States.

<sup>2</sup> First report of production of California Valencia oranges and lemons and Florida limes (from bloom of 1937) will be issued in December.

<sup>3</sup> Short-time average.

<sup>4</sup> Net content of boxes varies. In California and Arizona the approximate average for oranges is 70 pounds net and grapefruit 60 pounds; in Florida and other States oranges 90 pounds and grapefruit 80 pounds; California lemons about 76 pounds net.

## Miscellaneous Fruits and Nuts in California, Oregon, and Florida

State and crop	Production					
	Percent of a full crop			Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937			
<b>California:</b>				<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>
Apricots.....	72	61	74	1,227,400	248,000	281,000
Figs:						
Dried.....	74	69	77	17,100	20,000	-----
Not dried.....				6,780	11,000	-----
Olives.....	<sup>2</sup> 61	<sup>2</sup> 53	<sup>2</sup> 55	120,100	25,000	-----
Almonds.....	68	35	77	12,200	7,600	16,600
Walnuts.....	74	67	90	24,800	41,900	57,000
<b>Oregon:</b>						
Filberts.....	-----	86	84	296	1,850	2,230
Walnuts.....	-----	36	55	1,780	1,400	2,200
<b>Florida:</b>				<i>Boxes</i>	<i>Boxes</i>	
Avocados.....	<sup>3</sup> 57	60	82	-----	-----	-----
Pineapples.....	90	80	90	10,400	40,000	-----

<sup>1</sup> Includes some quantities not harvested on account of market conditions.

<sup>2</sup> Condition Nov. 1.

<sup>3</sup> Short-time average.

Milk production showed somewhat more than the usual seasonal decline during October and on the first of November it was about 4 percent lower than the temporarily high production at that time last year, but farmers are feeding fairly liberally and milking a large proportion of the cows and production is expected to be fairly well maintained during the current feeding period as a whole.

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Pecans

State	All varieties					
	Production					
	Percent of full crop			Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937			
			1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	
Illinois	46	15	70	157	55	259
Missouri	44	19	48	970	300	816
North Carolina	65	73	72	725	1,100	1,109
South Carolina	59	73	58	796	1,500	1,160
Georgia	54	71	60	6,000	9,800	8,280
Florida	57	60	53	1,425	1,650	1,458
Alabama	55	55	74	2,650	3,140	4,292
Mississippi	53	35	73	4,528	3,850	8,176
Arkansas	60	35	81	3,160	2,240	5,265
Louisiana	55	48	61	4,714	4,100	5,185
Oklahoma	52	7	46	13,480	2,000	13,248
Texas	41	19	48	24,360	10,400	27,360
12 States	47	31	55	62,965	40,135	76,608

State	Improved varieties <sup>1</sup>			Wild or seedling varieties		
	Production			Production		
	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Illinois	17	5	16	157	55	259
Missouri	478	800	869	953	295	800
North Carolina	644	1,320	1,027	247	300	300
South Carolina	5,418	9,110	7,620	152	180	133
Georgia	1,092	1,330	1,150	582	690	660
Florida	2,240	2,830	3,750	333	320	308
Alabama	2,224	2,060	4,497	410	310	542
Mississippi	220	210	625	2,304	1,790	3,679
Arkansas	976	980	1,296	2,030	4,040	3,889
Louisiana	117	90	662	13,363	1,910	12,586
Oklahoma	755	470	1,300	23,604	9,930	26,000
Texas						
12 States	14,182	19,205	22,812	48,783	20,930	53,796

<sup>1</sup> Budded, grafted, or topworked varieties.

Peanuts (for Nuts)

State	Yield per acre			Production		
	Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Virginia	972	1,050	1,080	148,324	151,200	173,880
North Carolina	1,022	1,070	1,450	223,450	243,960	258,750
Tennessee	762	625	675	10,425	5,625	6,750
Total	990	1,052	1,110	382,199	400,785	439,380
South Carolina	671	680	715	8,760	8,160	8,580
Georgia	580	740	725	239,582	447,700	413,250
Florida	591	675	600	28,648	46,575	42,600
Alabama	549	780	750	145,160	255,060	245,250
Mississippi	537	520	520	13,522	16,120	14,560
Total	571	741	718	435,672	773,615	724,240
Arkansas	572	425	520	9,166	9,350	9,360
Louisiana	482	480	500	5,290	7,680	8,000
Oklahoma	590	270	509	26,680	9,990	9,000
Texas	520	420	415	87,224	99,120	87,150
Total	529	406	433	128,360	126,140	113,510
United States	689.7	749.2	766.6	946,231	1,300,540	1,277,130

Cotton Report as of November 1, 1937

A United States cotton crop of 18,243,000 bales of 500 pounds average gross weight is forecast by the Crop Reporting Board of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics, based on conditions as of November 1, 1937. This would be the largest crop on record, and compares with 12,399,000 bales produced in 1936, 10,638,000 bales in 1935, and 14,667,000 bales, the 5-year (1928-32) average. The largest previous crop was produced in 1926, when the total production in the United States was 17,978,000 bales. The indicated yield per acre for the United States of 258.8 pounds is the highest on record and compares with 197.6 pounds in 1936 and 169.9 pounds, the 10-year (1923-32) average.

Most of the unpicked cotton is open and subject to weather damage. Inclement weather would therefore materially interfere with picking and result in considerable loss in the fields. This report is an estimate of the amount of cotton that is expected to be ginned, allowing for average loss in the fields. In most States, average bale weights are running considerably above average.

State	Acreage for harvest 1937 (preliminary)	Yield per acre			Production (ginnings) 500-lb. gross-weight bales <sup>1</sup>		
		Average 1923-32	1936	Indicated 1937	Average 1923-32	1936 crop	1937 crop indicated Nov. 1
		1,000 acres	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	1,000 bales	1,000 bales
Virginia	64	270	298	299	45	33	40
North Carolina	1,074	269	298	320	752	597	720
South Carolina	1,635	208	279	278	856	816	950
Georgia	2,631	176	228	267	1,241	1,086	1,470
Florida	113	125	170	173	35	31	41
Missouri	488	256	360	377	228	308	385
Tennessee	941	197	250	320	479	433	630
Alabama	2,558	172	236	284	1,255	1,145	1,520
Mississippi	3,344	191	305	368	1,559	1,911	2,575
Louisiana	1,547	192	280	334	745	761	1,080
Texas	12,667	139	121	191	4,580	2,933	5,050
Oklahoma	2,569	149	62	160	1,109	290	858
Arkansas	3,056	188	227	287	1,352	1,295	1,830
New Mexico	136	318	457	475	90	111	135
Arizona	269	327	438	463	128	191	260
California	614	336	574	530	200	442	680
All other	30	225	313	310	11	16	19
U. S. total	33,736	169.9	197.6	258.8	14,667	12,399	18,243
Arizona Egyptian <sup>2</sup>	21	253	230	273	22	18	12
Georgia Sea Island <sup>2</sup>	4.5	132	181	181	(3)	(3)	1.7
Florida Sea Island <sup>2</sup>	15.3	97	100	100	0.6	0.6	3.2
Lower California (Old Mexico) <sup>4</sup>	140	242	210	181	48	61	53

<sup>1</sup> Allowances made for interstate movement of seed cotton for ginning.

<sup>2</sup> Included in State and United States totals. <sup>3</sup> 70 bales.

<sup>4</sup> Not included in California figures nor in United States total.

Sugar Beets

State	Yield per acre			Production		
	Average, 1924-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
	Short tons	Short tons	Short tons	1,000 short tons	1,000 short tons	1,000 short tons
Ohio	9.1	9.2	6.5	218	259	188
Michigan	7.9	8.8	8.0	612	867	608
Nebraska	12.9	11.5	13.0	996	782	832
Montana	11.1	10.9	12.5	514	654	875
Idaho	10.3	11.9	12.5	449	619	650
Wyoming	11.6	11.0	12.5	531	486	575
Colorado	12.5	13.1	12.0	2,525	2,234	1,980
Utah	11.8	13.9	14.0	621	500	700
California	10.3	14.2	13.0	860	1,975	1,807
Other States	8.9	8.2	10.0	791	652	874
United States	11.0	11.6	11.7	8,118	9,028	9,089

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Sugarcane for Sugar (in Sugar Belt)

State	Excluding cane for seed					
	Production			Sugar produced, 96° equivalent		
	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
	<i>1,000 short tons</i>	<i>1,000 short tons</i>	<i>1,000 short tons</i>	<i>1,000 short tons</i>	<i>1,000 short tons</i>	<i>1,000 short tons</i>
Louisiana.....	2,491	4,854	5,568	1,179	386	445
Florida.....	256	565	( <sup>2</sup> )	21	51	( <sup>2</sup> )
Total.....	2,747	5,419		200	437	
Including cane for seed						
Louisiana.....	2,751	5,271	6,019			
Florida.....	264	589	( <sup>2</sup> )			
Total.....	3,015	5,860				

<sup>1</sup> Sugar as made.

<sup>2</sup> Indicated production for Florida not yet available.

Tobacco by Class and Type

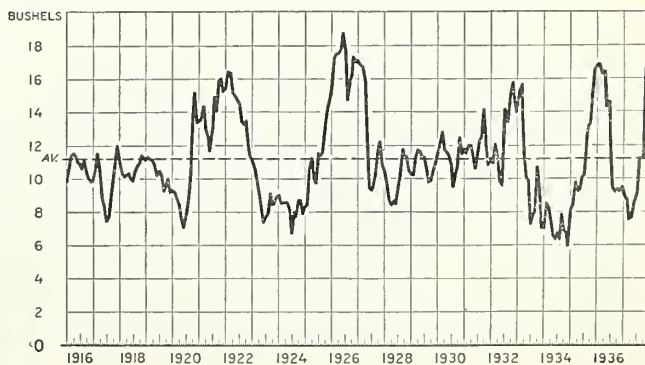
Class and type	Type no.	Yield per acre			Production		
		Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1923-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
		<i>Lb.</i>	<i>Lb.</i>	<i>Lb.</i>	<i>1,000 lb.</i>	<i>1,000 lb.</i>	<i>1,000 lb.</i>
Flue-cured:							
Virginia.....	11	603	750	710	63,574	67,875	71,710
North Carolina.....	11	648	750	790	170,482	177,750	206,190
Total old belt.....	11	634	750	768	236,056	245,625	277,900
Eastern North Carolina belt.....	12	712	760	900	254,996	222,680	295,200
North Carolina.....	13	752	845	950	39,342	51,545	68,400
South Carolina.....	13	692	815	950	75,918	73,350	106,400
Total South Carolina belt.....	13	709	827	950	115,260	124,895	174,800
Georgia.....	14	755	970	1,083	69,022	82,450	76,893
Florida.....	14	710	900	840	4,170	7,200	10,920
Total Georgia and Florida belt.....	14	752	964	1,045	73,192	89,650	87,813
Total flue-cured.....	11-14	684	790	872	679,504	682,850	835,713
Fire-cured:							
Virginia.....	21	728	770	790	21,944	18,095	20,066
Kentucky.....	22	775	700	820	37,498	21,330	23,780
Tennessee.....	22	794	815	830	55,787	35,045	40,670
Total Clarksville and Hopkinsville.....	22	787	805	826	93,285	56,375	64,450
Kentucky.....	23	780	750	820	31,798	17,625	21,320
Tennessee.....	23	778	800	830	6,339	5,600	6,640
Total Paducah.....	23	779	761	822	38,136	23,225	27,960
Henderson Stemming (Ky.).....	24	794	730	850	7,222	1,971	2,975
Total fire-cured.....	21-24	776	787	819	160,588	99,666	115,451
Air-cured (light):							
Ohio.....	31	869	750	850	14,598	7,125	10,540
Indiana.....	31	818	700	875	10,435	4,200	7,875
Missouri.....	31	962	675	925	5,836	2,632	4,532
Kansas.....	31		725	850		145	340
Virginia.....	31	1,004	1,050	1,080	7,500	8,190	11,340
West Virginia.....	31	736	675	700	4,224	1,282	2,380
North Carolina.....	31	699	900	925	4,315	5,400	7,400
Kentucky.....	31	792	690	850	240,860	155,250	260,100
Tennessee.....	31	824	830	870	49,042	34,030	57,420
Total Burley.....	31	804	724	861	336,845	218,254	361,927
Southern Maryland.....	32	751	800	700	24,318	29,600	24,850
Total air-cured (light).....	31-32	800	733	848	361,163	247,854	386,777

Tobacco by Class and Type—Continued

Class and type	Type No.	Yield per acre			Production		
		Average, 1923-32	1936	1937	Average, 1928-32	1936	Preliminary 1937
		<i>Lb.</i>	<i>Lb.</i>	<i>Lb.</i>	<i>1,000 lb.</i>	<i>1,000 lb.</i>	<i>1,000 lb.</i>
Air-cured (dark):							
Indiana.....	35	871	700	975	2,648	280	585
Kentucky.....	35	804	725	875	17,874	9,062	17,500
Tennessee.....	35	758	765	840	2,863	1,530	2,520
Total One Sucker.....	35	803	730	873	23,385	10,872	20,605
Green River (Ky.).....	36	809	700	865	27,335	11,200	18,165
Virginia sun-cured.....	37	722	780	800	3,391	2,574	3,040
Total air-cured (dark).....	35-37	802	721	864	54,111	24,646	41,810
Cigar filler:							
Pennsylvania seedleaf.....	41	1,264	1,450	1,200	48,483	33,350	28,200
Miami Valley (Ohio).....	42-44	835	940	1,000	25,376	13,160	17,500
Georgia.....	45	999	950	1,100	563	380	440
Florida.....	45	967	950	1,100	675	380	770
Total Georgia and Florida sun-grown.....	45	984	950	1,100	1,238	760	1,210
Total cigar filler.....	41-45	1,084	1,251	1,114	75,281	47,270	46,910
Cigar hinder:							
Massachusetts.....	51	1,488	1,710	1,600	572	171	160
Connecticut.....	51	1,451	1,700	1,600	15,973	12,580	14,240
Total Connecticut Valley broadleaf.....	51	1,452	1,700	1,600	16,545	12,751	14,400
Massachusetts.....	52	1,433	1,700	1,570	9,461	5,270	5,966
Connecticut.....	52	1,431	1,670	1,550	8,039	3,006	3,255
Total Connecticut Valley Havana seed.....	52	1,432	1,689	1,563	17,500	8,276	9,221
New York.....	53	1,136	1,325	1,350	1,444	795	1,215
Pennsylvania.....	53	1,208	1,500	1,550	490	300	310
Total New York and Pennsylvania Havana seed.....	53	1,161	1,369	1,386	1,935	1,095	1,525
Southern Wisconsin.....	54	1,222	1,530	1,250	29,487	11,016	13,000
Wisconsin.....	55	1,154	1,350	1,370	17,338	7,830	9,864
Minnesota.....	55	1,133	1,150	1,150	1,876	230	460
Total northern Wisconsin.....	55	1,152	1,343	1,358	19,214	8,060	10,324
Total cigar hinder.....	51-55	1,290	1,561	1,426	84,681	41,198	48,470
Cigar wrapper:							
Massachusetts.....	61	1,027	1,100	1,000	1,248	1,210	1,200
Connecticut.....	61	1,008	1,080	970	5,642	5,724	5,917
Total Connecticut Valley shade-grown.....	61	1,011	1,083	975	6,889	6,934	7,117
Georgia.....	62	1,124	1,025	1,000	574	205	400
Florida.....	62	1,112	1,025	1,000	2,941	2,460	2,500
Total Georgia and Florida shade-grown.....	62	1,112	1,025	1,000	3,515	2,665	2,900
Total cigar wrapper.....	61-62	1,057	1,067	982	10,609	9,599	10,017
Total cigar types.....	41-62	1,173	1,340	1,221	170,572	98,067	105,397
United States.....	All	770.4	802.5	878.9	1,427,174	1,153,083	1,485,148

Hog and Corn Ratios, 1916-37

The Curve Shows the Number of Bushels of Corn Equal in Value to 100 Pounds of Live Hogs at Average Farm Prices



## Average Prices Received by Farmers for Farm Products, Oct. 15, 1936 and 1937, by States

State and division	Wheat, per bushel		Corn, per bushel		Oats, per bushel		Barley, per bushel		Rye, per bushel		Buck-wheat, per bushel		Flax-seed, per bushel		Grain sor-guhms, per 100 lb.		Potatoes, per bushel		Sweet-potatoes, per bushel		Hay (all loose), per ton		Cotton (lint), per pound		Cotton-seed, per ton		Apples, per bushel	
	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937
	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Ct.	Dol.	Dol.	Ct.	Ct.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.
Maine.....	150	150	110	85	60	47	80	70	81	74	81	80	81	74	75	25	75	25	75	25	9.40	8.40	13.50	10.50	13.50	10.50	1.25	.95
New Hampshire.....	110	100	60	47	80	70	81	74	81	74	81	74	81	74	105	60	110	60	110	60	13.50	10.50	13.50	10.50	1.35	1.00		
Vermont.....	110	105	58	46	80	73	81	74	81	74	81	74	81	105	60	110	60	110	60	11.50	8.20	13.50	10.50	1.40	.90			
Massachusetts.....	110	105	60	45	80	73	81	74	81	74	81	74	81	110	60	110	60	110	60	18.70	16.00	13.50	10.50	1.40	.80			
Rhode Island.....	110	105	60	45	80	73	81	74	81	74	81	74	81	110	60	110	60	110	60	19.10	16.00	13.50	10.50	1.40	1.25			
Connecticut.....	110	100	60	45	80	73	81	74	81	74	81	74	81	110	60	110	60	110	60	18.50	17.30	13.50	10.50	1.25	1.00			
New England.....	110.0	103.1	59.3	46.7	80.0	71.5	81.0	74.9	81.0	74.9	81.0	74.9	81.0	74.9	81.5	30.7	81.5	30.7	81.5	30.7	13.16	11.37	13.16	11.37	1.30	.92		
New York.....	111	94	110	87	53	42	78	61	87	78	79	55	88	92	75	60	101	45	90	60	11.70	7.80	18.00	13.50	1.05	.55		
New Jersey.....	110	101	110	86	50	37	75	65	84	75	88	75	88	75	60	101	45	90	60	18.00	13.50	18.00	13.50	1.00	.65			
Pennsylvania.....	106	94	102	81	48	41	77	65	80	78	75	60	80	78	75	60	105	55	105	55	12.90	10.00	12.90	10.00	.95	.60		
Middle Atlantic.....	107.3	94.3	104.8	83.0	50.2	41.2	77.6	62.4	83.4	79.7	76.9	67.6	83.4	79.7	76.9	67.6	100.1	51.2	100.1	51.2	12.40	8.83	12.40	8.83	1.01	.58		
Ohio.....	108	92	94	58	43	30	70	59	82	75	80	70	82	75	60	115	70	115	70	11.30	8.00	11.30	8.00	1.20	.60			
Indiana.....	106	90	93	53	40	28	69	55	83	70	88	70	88	70	60	125	65	125	65	9.00	12.10	9.00	12.10	1.15	.55			
Illinois.....	110	92	94	50	39	26	104	66	90	70	89	75	90	70	89	75	130	75	115	80	12.80	9.50	12.80	9.50	1.20	.55		
Michigan.....	106	90	97	74	43	31	96	57	82	75	74	61	175	190	89	45	89	45	89	45	9.40	8.30	9.40	8.30	.95	.50		
Wisconsin.....	115	99	106	73	44	32	110	63	82	66	88	64	181	185	86	39	86	39	86	39	12.00	10.00	12.00	10.00	1.15	.75		
East North Central.....	107.9	91.4	95.0	55.5	41.3	28.5	105.8	62.2	83.1	69.5	81.7	67.1	177.7	188.2	97.2	50.5	119.4	85.0	119.4	85.0	11.51	9.05	11.51	9.05	1.06	.56		
Minnesota.....	125	96	94	45	37	24	98	51	73	59	75	60	187	189	100	31	100	31	100	31	7.30	5.60	100	31	1.25	.95		
Iowa.....	110	89	99	46	40	24	90	50	83	61	80	75	185	183	120	60	120	60	100	100	10.30	8.20	100	100	1.40	.85		
Missouri.....	112	88	113	57	49	30	110	70	105	79	90	80	175	175	180	110	130	60	125	85	12.70	7.80	12.00	8.1	33.00	17.00	1.30	.60
North Dakota.....	123	90	103	52	38	22	68	38	67	55	80	80	179	183	82	32	82	32	82	32	7.50	4.90	82	32	1.30	.60		
South Dakota.....	117	87	101	46	38	23	73	40	73	56	75	60	182	183	130	55	130	55	130	55	9.30	5.90	130	55	1.65	1.10		
Nebraska.....	109	88	109	59	48	30	73	48	87	65	65	65	175	180	170	120	110	42	110	42	9.00	7.40	110	42	1.30	1.05		
Kansas.....	111	89	117	64	48	32	74	52	92	63	63	63	167	184	180	90	125	65	135	90	11.60	7.60	125	65	1.30	.80		
West North Central.....	112.8	89.5	100.9	49.0	40.9	25.1	88.8	46.4	76.4	58.5	77.6	67.8	184.5	186.6	179.2	97.6	106.2	39.5	126.5	88.4	9.39	6.70	106.2	39.5	1.33	.73		
Delaware.....	107	94	96	65	53	40	77	61	111	91	75	76	88	88	95	60	95	60	70	55	16.00	13.00	70	55	.90	.50		
Maryland.....	108	94	97	73	52	40	76	61	96	88	71	66	88	88	100	60	100	60	80	55	15.50	12.00	100	60	.85	.55		
Virginia.....	113	102	101	86	58	50	84	74	107	98	82	81	88	88	115	65	70	50	16.50	12.50	12.00	12.3	8.5	35.00	19.00	.80	.50	
West Virginia.....	110	102	101	85	56	50	86	77	90	87	86	83	88	88	120	70	120	70	120	70	14.10	10.50	120	70	.90	.55		
North Carolina.....	118	113	90	88	68	59	99	88	123	114	90	83	88	88	70	80	70	80	70	15.80	14.20	12.8	8.6	35.00	19.00	.95	.60	
South Carolina.....	115	116	92	82	69	61	83	73	136	137	130	130	130	130	120	95	87	75	13.50	13.70	12.9	8.5	34.00	20.00	1.05	.85		
Georgia.....	114	119	93	74	71	60	77	70	132	130	130	130	130	130	120	95	90	75	12.40	12.00	12.4	8.3	34.00	20.00	1.10	.80		
Florida.....	112	103	94.5	80.6	67.4	58.3	81.0	68.4	112.5	105.1	82.8	79.6	116.8	72.5	82.4	68.3	14.70	12.42	12.6	8.4	34.21	19.26	8.4	34.21	1.87	.54		
Kentucky.....	112	96	105	76	55	41	102	82	106	94	95	85	140	75	110	75	16.70	10.40	110	75	16.70	10.40	110	75	1.05	.55		
Tennessee.....	117	107	104	78	53	51	99	87	116	102	85	80	140	75	90	55	13.70	11.20	12.0	8.0	34.00	18.00	8.0	34.00	1.95	.55		
Alabama.....	114	109	105	84	69	62	99	87	116	102	85	80	125	80	90	75	10.50	10.60	12.1	8.2	34.00	18.00	8.2	34.00	1.15	.90		
Mississippi.....	114	109	105	84	69	62	99	87	116	102	85	80	125	80	90	75	10.50	10.60	12.1	8.2	34.00	18.00	8.2	34.00	1.15	.90		
East South Central.....	114.3	100.3	103.6	79.3	62.2	52.9	100.5	84.0	111.4	97.4	88.3	82.0	133.4	78.8	91.5	71.6	13.51	10.55	12.6	8.3	35.07	18.55	8.3	35.07	1.05	.60		
Arkansas.....	117	90	98	60	55	40	77	61	111	91	75	76	170	105	140	85	115	80	111	80	11.00	8.10	12.2	7.9	34.00	17.00	1.20	.55
Louisiana.....	117	90	98	60	55	40	77	61	111	91	75	76	170	105	140	85	115	80	111	80	11.00	8.10	12.2	7.9	34.00	17.00	1.20	.55
Oklahoma.....	114	88	101	56	49	33	81	60	96	77	77	77	170	105	135	80	130	95	115.00	8.30	10.9	7.0	30.00	17.00	1.40	.75		
Texas.....	112	89	84	59	46	37	70	55	109	77	77	77	139	90	135	100	90	85	7.80	9.30	11.6	7.6	30.00	18.00	1.15	.95		
West South Central.....	113.3	88.4	90.0	59.8	47.7	35.7	73.5	57.4	98.3	88.3	82.0	82.0	144.7	93.5	134.9	87.2	95.9	74.3	9.91	8.69	11.8	7.6	51.44	17.58	1.19	.61		
Montana.....	116	89	107	72	50	34	67	50	58	53	53	53	169	173	110	55	110	55	110	55	12.00	8.00	110	55	1.25	.75		
Idaho.....	86	69	91	85	40	32	62	48	65	60	60	60	72	25	72	25	72	25	72	25	7.40	7.50	72	25	.90	.60		
Wyoming.....	108	86	116	70	56	36	81	50	82	60	60	60	165	180	110	47	110	47	110	47	10.00	7.00	110	47	1.35	1.00		
Colorado.....	103	84	108	74	43	36	70	51	76	58	58	58	165	105	90	41	90	41	90	41	8.70	8.00	90	41	1.00	.70		
New Mexico.....	105	93	95	86	50	44	70	60	145	90	125	90	145	90	125	90	145	90	125	90	8.00	9.00	12.5	8.3	31.00	20.00	1.00	.75
Arizona.....	100	96	105	98	48	50	70	67	150	105	110	90	150	105	110	90	150	105	110	90	8.00	9.50	12.5	9.4	33.00	20.00	1.40	1.45
Utah.....	98	77	114	85	41	37	69	49	76	67	67	67	80	40	80	40	80	40	80	40	7.00	7.50	80	40	.90	.75		
Nevada.....	96	94	115	105	47	50	76	68	110	65	65	65	110	65	65	65	110	65	65	65	8.20	9.20	110	65	1.30	1.30		
Mountain.....	99.6	80.9	104.9	77.8	44.6	34.9	68.6	50.9	69.7	56.8	56.8	56.8	150.8	94.0	82.5	33.8	82.5	33.8	82.5	33.8	7.84	12.5	9.0	32.23	20.00	.95	.61	
Washington.....	85																											

Average Prices Received by Farmers for Farm Products, Oct. 15, 1936 and 1937, by States—Continued

State and division	Hogs, per 100 pounds		Beef cattle, per 100 pounds		Veal calves, per 100 pounds		Sbeep, per 100 pounds		Lambs, per 100 pounds		Milk cows, per head		Horses, per head		Mules, per head		Cbick-ens, per pound		Turkeys, per pound		Butter, per pound		Butter-fat, per pound		Eggs, per dozen		Wool, per pound				
	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937			
Maine.....	9.00	9.50	5.20	5.90	8.20	9.10	4.00	4.60	7.80	7.90	59	65	155	163	-----	-----	17.6	19.0	23	23	35	36	37	38	38	38	37	37	31	34	
New Hampshire.....	9.20	9.40	4.90	5.70	8.30	9.10	4.10	4.20	7.80	8.60	52	81	130	144	-----	-----	17.9	19.0	25	24	35	37	38	38	38	38	38	41.2	42.0	30	30
Vermont.....	9.20	9.50	4.70	5.40	8.30	8.40	3.30	4.00	7.70	8.50	70	70	160	160	-----	-----	16.7	18.5	27	24	37	38	38	38	39	37.7	37.0	31	35		
Massachusetts.....	9.20	9.80	4.90	5.70	7.90	8.80	4.00	4.00	9.00	9.00	90	97	160	160	-----	-----	18.1	20.3	27	27	37	38	38	38	39	44.2	41.5	31	32		
Rhode Island.....	9.50	10.00	4.90	5.70	8.50	9.80	4.00	4.00	9.00	9.00	94	98	160	160	-----	-----	18.9	21.5	28	27	37	38	38	38	39	42.4	42.0	30	32		
Connecticut.....	9.00	9.80	4.90	5.70	8.90	9.70	4.00	4.00	9.00	9.00	93	90	155	150	-----	-----	19.0	24.0	29	27	36	38	37	39	41.7	44.0	31	32			
New England.....	9.15	9.68	4.93	5.67	8.31	8.90	-----	-----	-----	-----	76.70	78.60	-----	-----	-----	-----	18.0	20.5	26.4	25.5	35.5	36.6	37.7	38.7	41.5	40.1	31.0	-----	-----		
New York.....	9.60	10.70	5.30	6.10	8.90	10.00	4.10	4.80	8.40	9.10	81	84	152	160	150	158	17.1	20.1	25	25	36	37	34	34	36.8	35.9	30	35			
New Jersey.....	10.50	11.70	4.90	6.40	9.80	11.70	4.00	5.20	7.00	10.00	112	120	135	130	140	21.0	24.0	27	27	38	39	36	36	38	38.6	39.5	30	35			
Pennsylvania.....	10.20	11.20	6.80	8.50	9.30	10.70	3.90	5.00	8.10	8.90	72	80	144	143	145	145	17.7	20.1	26	24	34	35	35	36	36.9	33.7	31	35			
Middle Atlantic.....	10.08	11.12	6.27	7.62	9.10	10.36	3.99	4.91	8.23	8.99	79.50	84.60	147.40	150.60	-----	-----	18.0	20.7	25.6	25.2	34.9	35.9	34.5	35.0	36.2	35.4	30.6	35.0			
Ohio.....	9.70	10.50	7.10	8.80	9.10	10.50	3.20	3.70	8.00	9.00	52	61	133	121	125	121	14.8	19.4	18	21	33	34	32	34	29.2	28.0	29	34			
Indiana.....	9.80	10.50	6.80	8.40	8.80	10.40	3.20	3.50	8.30	9.50	51	62	120	116	124	126	13.8	18.1	16	19	34	36	32	34	25.9	24.0	28	35			
Illinois.....	9.60	10.40	7.40	10.00	8.40	10.30	3.15	3.80	8.00	9.60	56	62	107	98	118	113	13.3	17.7	15	17	33	35	32	33	24.0	21.9	28	31			
Michigan.....	9.50	10.30	6.10	7.30	9.40	10.70	3.10	4.10	8.30	9.50	57	65	143	140	135	127	14.2	18.5	18	19	35	36	35	36	28.4	27.7	28	32			
Wisconsin.....	9.00	9.90	5.00	7.00	7.70	9.00	2.75	3.25	7.60	8.80	69	75	126	130	125	117	13.0	16.9	17	18	33	35	38	39	27.9	24.3	28	31			
East North Central.....	9.60	10.39	6.86	9.04	8.47	9.95	3.14	3.73	8.08	9.25	59.40	66.90	121.50	115.70	121.20	117.60	13.9	18.2	17.1	19.0	33.6	35.1	34.6	35.9	27.1	25.1	28.4	33.0			
Minnesota.....	9.20	10.00	6.30	7.70	7.30	8.80	3.45	3.95	8.00	9.20	57	62	108	108	104	105	11.9	16.3	15	17	34	37	35	37	24.3	20.3	27	30			
Iowa.....	9.20	9.70	7.40	9.80	7.30	8.70	3.15	4.20	7.60	9.10	53	60	104	96	110	110	13.1	17.6	18	19	34	36	35	37	22.9	19.7	27	31			
Missouri.....	9.30	10.00	7.00	8.90	8.00	9.40	3.80	4.40	7.70	9.10	39	48	81	82	110	116	11.3	16.1	15	15	30	32	30	32	22.5	17.8	28	32			
North Dakota.....	8.10	9.30	5.30	7.00	6.40	8.10	3.30	4.10	7.20	8.40	43	51	81	77	85	81	10.3	14.6	15	16	33	36	32	34	23.0	20.0	25	27			
South Dakota.....	8.80	9.50	6.30	7.60	6.00	7.00	4.00	4.05	6.50	9.00	42	51	79	79	91	91	11.2	16.0	12	15	35	36	32	34	21.1	18.9	25	29			
Nebraska.....	9.10	9.60	7.10	8.50	6.60	7.90	3.80	3.95	7.90	9.00	48	53	85	77	101	95	11.3	16.6	15	17	32	35	30	34	21.7	18.3	22	26			
Kansas.....	9.10	9.80	6.10	7.90	6.90	8.30	3.30	4.10	7.60	8.90	41	50	78	73	101	94	10.8	15.5	15	16	34	35	30	33	21.9	17.5	22	29			
West North Central.....	9.16	9.78	6.74	8.52	7.10	8.51	3.56	4.13	7.53	9.00	48.20	55.40	89.20	85.50	105.00	104.40	11.7	16.4	14.8	16.3	32.6	34.6	33.1	35.3	22.7	18.9	25.6	29.6			
Delaware.....	9.80	11.00	6.30	8.80	9.70	10.70	3.00	4.00	9.00	9.40	57	70	108	115	124	145	18.3	24.0	23	25	30	33	33	36	31.9	27.7	31	38			
Maryland.....	10.20	10.90	7.30	8.80	9.40	10.40	3.00	4.00	8.40	9.30	66	72	114	128	135	143	18.5	24.4	23	25	28	29	33	36	32.1	31.1	31	37			
Virginia.....	9.40	10.20	6.60	7.70	8.20	9.60	3.10	3.35	7.90	8.90	45	49	121	127	143	149	16.7	19.6	19	20	24	24	31	30	29.0	28.1	31	36			
West Virginia.....	9.10	9.80	5.90	7.50	7.80	8.90	3.60	3.90	7.80	9.00	38	44	121	117	106	109	15.1	17.8	19	21	25	27	32	32	29.0	28.2	31	35			
North Carolina.....	10.00	10.25	5.30	5.90	7.80	8.20	4.40	4.65	8.30	8.00	41	42	125	120	167	167	15.8	16.9	19	19	26	25	30	30	30.6	28.8	30	35			
South Carolina.....	8.90	9.90	4.25	5.00	5.30	7.00	4.20	4.30	6.60	6.40	36	41	103	105	154	160	17.3	18.2	20	20	27	28	29	30	31.1	30.9	30	35			
Georgia.....	8.90	9.00	4.35	4.70	6.20	6.40	4.00	4.50	6.00	6.50	34	36	108	104	158	155	16.5	17.3	18	18	27	28	28	29	29.6	29.2	29	30			
Florida.....	7.50	8.30	4.70	5.20	6.70	6.00	4.50	4.00	6.50	6.50	45	47	98	100	133	140	18.3	19.0	20	21	32	33	28	32	34.5	33.4	27	33			
South Atlantic.....	9.15	9.61	5.04	5.97	7.44	8.25	3.45	3.79	7.92	8.91	42.40	46.20	119.40	122.30	154.70	150.80	16.9	19.2	23.0	21.1	26.6	26.0	30.6	30.5	30.5	29.6	30.9	35.5			
Kentucky.....	9.40	10.10	5.80	7.30	8.40	9.70	2.90	3.40	8.36	9.60	38	43	85	94	113	124	12.7	16.2	15	17	27	28	29	31	24.6	22.6	30	37			
Tennessee.....	9.20	9.60	4.80	6.10	6.90	8.50	2.40	2.65	7.00	7.50	35	40	97	104	133	137	12.8	15.4	14	15	22	23	31	31	24.3	23.4	29	33			
Alabama.....	8.20	8.70	3.90	4.35	5.26	6.20	3.90	4.10	7.00	7.20	31	34	87	85	131	131	14.4	14.2	17	16	25	24	28	28	26.2	26.4	26	29			
Mississippi.....	7.90	8.30	3.75	4.30	5.20	6.00	4.00	5.90	6.30	6.30	32	34	84	85	125	126	14.9	15.8	17	17	28	29	32	31	27.3	26.6	25	30			
East South Central.....	8.70	9.16	4.63	5.50	6.60	7.69	2.84	3.23	7.86	8.82	34.20	38.40	88.70	95.40	128.60	130.70	13.4	15.6	15.4	16.4	24.6	25.1	29.8	30.9	25.1	22.9	29.4	35.0			
Arkansas.....	8.00	8.50	4.25	5.10	6.30	7.90	3.35	4.30	6.80	7.50	31	36	70	73	104	107	11.9	14.6	14	15	28	29	30	31	24.1	21.6	25	28			
Louisiana.....	6.70	7.10	4.35	5.20	6.40	6.20	4.10	4.30	5.80	5.80	32	35	68	70	105	108	15.8	16.6	19	19	30	30	27	30	26.4	26.1	25	29			
Oklahoma.....	8.60	9.20	5.30	6.10	6.50	7.30	4.10	4.70	7.80	8.70	32	40	68	68	96	94	10.5	14.1	13	13	32	32	30	32	24.3	26.1	20	26			
Texas.....</																															

Average Prices Received by Farmers for Farm Products, Oct. 15, 1936, and 1937, by States—Continued

State and division	Hay (loose), per ton						Seed, per bushel							
	Alfalfa		Clover and timothy mixed		Prairie		Alfalfa		Red clover		Sweet clover		Timothy	
	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937
Maine.....	12.90	10.50	9.00	8.20	8.00	6.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
N. H.....	17.00	14.00	14.10	12.40	10.00	6.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Vt.....	13.00	12.00	11.50	9.80	8.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mass.....	20.00	20.00	19.40	18.00	10.00	11.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
R. I.....	21.00	20.00	19.50	17.00	10.00	11.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Conn.....	20.50	20.00	19.00	17.50	10.00	11.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
N. E.....	17.54	16.41	13.38	12.35	9.00	8.02	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
N. Y.....	15.20	9.70	12.20	9.30	9.40	7.00	.....	.....	14.00	19.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
N. J.....	20.00	17.00	17.50	14.00	12.50	6.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pa.....	17.50	13.80	14.50	11.00	8.50	8.00	.....	.....	14.50	18.00	.....	.....	3.90	1.25
M. A.....	16.44	11.86	13.20	10.05	10.28	7.00	.....	.....	14.21	18.51	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ohio.....	13.70	10.40	11.80	8.70	10.00	8.00	11.80	15.10	13.10	17.50	4.10	4.85	2.95	1.25
Ind.....	14.00	11.00	12.40	9.60	5.50	6.00	12.50	17.50	14.50	19.00	5.50	5.00	3.00	1.60
Ill.....	15.00	12.70	13.00	11.10	8.00	6.00	.....	.....	14.20	19.10	5.00	5.30	2.90	1.35
Mich.....	11.60	9.70	9.30	9.00	8.00	6.00	12.30	17.00	13.50	17.90	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wis.....	14.60	12.20	11.50	10.20	7.70	5.70	13.90	18.70	13.30	18.70	4.85	5.00	2.60	1.55
E. N. C.....	13.65	11.04	11.51	9.60	7.66	5.74	12.51	16.57	13.75	18.24	4.90	5.10	2.93	1.35
Minna.....	10.10	8.30	10.00	7.30	5.99	4.40	11.40	16.20	11.80	18.00	4.40	4.05	2.35	1.10
Iowa.....	13.70	11.00	10.50	10.00	8.70	7.20	14.20	17.00	14.00	17.20	4.80	4.55	2.35	1.20
Mo.....	17.20	13.60	14.30	10.10	11.30	6.00	.....	.....	13.90	16.80	4.90	5.00	2.70	1.20
N. Dak.....	11.50	8.40	9.60	5.70	7.20	5.20	12.00	15.00	10.80	.....	4.50	4.20	2.70	1.50
S. Dak.....	13.30	7.90	10.00	7.40	8.50	4.60	12.60	15.60	.....	4.20	3.80	.....	.....	.....
Nebr.....	13.00	11.00	12.50	10.30	8.20	6.20	10.90	15.30	13.50	17.10	4.30	4.55	.....	.....
Kans.....	15.60	13.00	12.50	11.30	9.60	6.20	11.00	13.30	13.50	17.00	4.40	3.65	.....	.....
W. N. C.....	13.04	10.20	11.41	9.21	7.62	5.24	11.21	15.59	12.99	17.73	4.43	4.13	2.41	1.19
Del.....	17.00	16.00	15.50	13.90	13.50	11.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Md.....	18.30	14.40	16.50	12.50	13.00	11.00	.....	.....	11.70	16.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Va.....	21.00	16.10	17.00	12.50	13.00	9.00	.....	.....	12.00	17.10	.....	.....	.....	.....
W. Va.....	17.60	13.00	14.40	11.10	9.00	8.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
N. C.....	21.30	19.00	17.30	15.00	10.00	9.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
S. C.....	21.00	19.00	.....	.....	12.50	9.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ga.....	19.00	19.00	14.50	16.00	9.50	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Fla.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	9.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
S. A.....	19.45	15.41	15.82	12.22	10.20	9.12	.....	.....	11.74	16.11	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ky.....	20.40	12.90	18.00	11.20	10.00	7.00	.....	.....	13.00	18.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tenn.....	17.80	15.00	16.00	13.40	9.80	8.50	.....	.....	13.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ala.....	20.00	16.00	15.00	13.40	8.30	9.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miss.....	15.50	14.60	12.60	13.80	8.70	8.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
E. S. C.....	18.10	13.80	17.26	12.03	8.81	8.25	.....	.....	13.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ark.....	16.00	13.20	14.80	11.20	8.90	6.50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
La.....	14.50	14.50	.....	.....	8.20	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Okl.....	18.00	13.70	.....	.....	10.40	7.10	10.00	10.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tex.....	14.50	14.40	.....	.....	8.40	7.80	10.30	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
W. S. C.....	16.54	13.83	.....	.....	9.31	7.14	10.02	10.71	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mont.....	12.60	8.10	12.00	8.00	11.50	8.00	13.00	15.30	.....	.....	4.30	4.20	.....	.....
Idaho.....	7.40	7.70	7.20	8.00	6.00	6.00	12.50	17.60	13.50	17.60	.....	.....	.....	.....
Wyo.....	10.40	7.20	8.50	6.80	9.50	6.70	11.50	14.90	12.00	17.50	.....	.....	.....	.....
Colo.....	9.30	9.00	7.50	7.50	8.90	7.50	9.90	14.50	10.80	15.50	4.00	4.00	.....	.....
N. Mex.....	9.00	9.40	7.50	8.50	8.00	8.50	9.60	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ariz.....	8.00	9.50	.....	.....	7.00	9.00	10.50	8.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Utah.....	7.40	7.90	7.00	7.80	5.10	6.30	10.80	14.30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nev.....	8.00	8.90	8.00	8.50	6.00	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mount.....	8.86	8.20	9.36	7.71	8.92	7.34	11.66	13.15	13.37	17.52	4.20	4.12	.....	.....
Wash.....	9.50	9.20	9.30	8.50	8.00	7.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oreg.....	9.10	9.70	9.00	8.80	7.50	7.10	11.50	15.50	12.80	18.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Calif.....	12.50	13.80	8.00	8.00	4.50	7.80	11.10	14.40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pac.....	11.52	12.46	9.12	8.53	6.26	7.37	11.16	14.58	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
U. S.....	12.09	10.54	12.18	10.08	7.98	5.91	11.34	14.72	13.44	18.05	4.48	4.24	2.56	1.22

Prices of farm products continued to decline during the month ended October 15 and in mid-October were only 112 percent of the pre-war (1910-14) level. At 112, the general index of prices received by farmers was 6 points below the September figure, 9 points lower than a year earlier, and the lowest index recorded since June 1936.

From September 15 to October 15, advancing truck crop prices and seasonal advances in dairy and poultry products were more than offset by declines in other groups. Largely as a result of a 35-cent per bushel drop in corn prices the index of grain prices broke sharply. Meat animals, cotton products, and fruit prices also showed material declines. Compared with a year earlier all

groups other than meat animals and poultry products were lower. Although meat animals declined during the month prices were still 16 points higher than they were a year earlier. Dairy products were slightly higher and poultry products the same, compared with a year earlier.

Compared with September 1937 the index of fruit prices was down 22 points; grains, down 18; meat animals, down 8; cotton and cottonseed, down 7; dairy products, up 5; chickens and eggs, up 8; and truck crops, up 13.

The index of prices paid by farmers continued to decline during the month ended October 15 and in mid-October was 128 percent of pre-war (1910-14), or 2 points lower than a month earlier. A further decline in feed prices was responsible for the drop in this index. The October index was, however, 1 point above a year earlier.

Feed prices during the month ended October 15 continued the sharp decline which has been in evidence since May. On October 15 the index was 104 percent of the pre-war level, or 13 and 28 points, respectively, below the level a month earlier and a year earlier. Feed prices in October were 49 points below the high point of the year reached in April and May, and reflect further adjustment toward the new-crop supply situation. The largest declines took place in prices of corn and concentrates, whereas millfeeds and oats showed relatively small decreases. Alfalfa hay was the only item higher on October 15 than a month earlier.

The decline in prices received by farmers was relatively greater than in prices paid and the ratio of prices received to prices paid declined 3 points to 88 percent of the pre-war average. According to the ratio, the purchasing power of farm products in mid-October was the lowest since May of last year. Latest reports on receipts from farm marketings indicate, however, that the increase in sales of farm products so far has maintained farm income at levels slightly higher than a year ago.

Employment on Farms of Crop Reporters, Nov. 1, 1937, With Comparisons

	Family Labor					
	Sept. 1, 1936	Oct. 1, 1936	Nov. 1, 1936	Sept. 1, 1937	Oct. 1, 1937	Nov. 1, 1937
	United States.....	221	214	199	209	204
New England.....	176	151	150	162	154	156
Middle Atlantic.....	178	173	165	181	170	167
East North Central.....	174	162	158	168	163	161
West North Central.....	150	166	162	172	162	163
South Atlantic.....	298	289	278	279	287	269
East South Central.....	341	362	310	315	312	308
West South Central.....	249	248	213	233	229	224
Mountain.....	182	166	159	164	155	151
Pacific.....	166	156	149	161	148	151
Hired Labor						
United States.....	111	107	95	107	110	104
New England.....	130	131	103	118	130	114
Middle Atlantic.....	86	91	87	91	95	87
East North Central.....	67	68	67	64	71	69
West North Central.....	50	45	41	51	50	51
South Atlantic.....	153	177	157	174	179	148
East South Central.....	165	177	134	139	153	153
West South Central.....	108	86	88	105	111	117
Mountain.....	97	91	75	97	84	95
Pacific.....	287	256	233	317	287	291

Average Wage Rate for Picking 100 Pounds of Seed Cotton

State	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
Va.....	1.00	1.12	1.23	1.15	0.75	0.45	0.34	0.45	0.65	0.65	0.70	0.75
N. C.....	1.03	1.07	1.07	1.01	.58	.36	.38	.48	.65	.65	.65	.70
S. C.....	.82	.78	.83	.81	.52	.36	.36	.45	.50	.50	.55	.60
Ga.....	.90	.88	.85	.90	.57	.35	.33	.45	.50	.50	.55	.60
Fla.....	1.12	.95	1.02	1.07	.76	.41	.39	.48	.55	.55	.60	.65
Ill.....	.....	1.20	1.20	1.15	.71	.50	.40	.65	.75	.75	.90	.70
Mo.....	1.12	1.14	1.14									

Hens and Pullets per Farm Flock<sup>1</sup>

[First day of each month]

Area and year	1936											
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>N. AT. STATES</b>												
10-year average, 1925-34	94.4	92.7	91.0	88.3	84.5	81.8	77.1	74.4	72.1	76.9	85.0	90.4
1936	96.1	96.3	96.4	91.9	87.7	82.9	77.6	76.4	74.3	85.3	90.6	98.4
1937	104.1	100.1	97.4	95.5	89.8	85.7	81.4	79.6	74.4	81.3	87.3	---
<b>N. CENT. STATES</b>												
10-year average, 1925-34	117.5	117.4	114.4	111.9	106.4	100.0	93.7	88.2	86.1	91.0	98.9	109.2
1936	111.1	108.4	104.4	103.7	98.0	91.8	84.0	77.1	76.5	85.6	93.4	105.9
1937	111.4	109.8	106.2	104.2	99.0	91.7	82.7	78.5	75.2	81.0	89.1	---
<b>S. AT. STATES</b>												
10-year average, 1925-34	61.4	60.7	59.2	56.8	53.3	51.2	49.7	48.2	48.7	51.9	54.5	58.2
1936	56.5	54.5	53.6	51.4	48.0	46.6	45.5	44.2	43.9	48.6	53.5	56.9
1937	61.4	60.5	57.4	56.3	51.5	48.7	46.5	46.0	45.0	48.8	51.6	---
<b>S. CENT. STATES</b>												
10-year average, 1925-34	69.2	69.3	66.4	63.0	58.2	55.2	53.1	52.1	53.0	57.6	60.6	64.4
1936	57.4	58.2	56.2	53.8	50.2	47.3	45.0	46.7	47.6	53.4	56.5	59.1
1937	64.7	62.7	61.4	57.5	54.2	50.6	48.5	49.2	48.3	51.4	54.1	---
<b>WEST. STATES</b>												
10-year average, 1925-34	73.7	73.4	71.9	69.7	67.3	64.0	61.1	60.1	59.9	62.3	67.0	71.0
1936	70.6	70.7	68.0	66.0	63.4	60.5	58.9	57.6	57.2	61.1	67.2	71.4
1937	72.2	73.0	71.1	69.0	66.1	64.8	60.2	60.4	58.3	61.1	66.8	---
<b>UNITED STATES</b>												
10-year average, 1925-34	87.5	87.2	84.7	82.0	77.4	73.4	69.6	66.8	66.1	70.4	75.7	81.9
1936	80.6	79.1	76.7	74.8	70.5	66.5	62.3	60.0	59.9	66.9	72.4	79.1
1937	84.2	82.5	80.0	77.5	73.1	68.5	63.6	62.1	59.9	64.3	69.4	---

<sup>1</sup> As reported in the returns of flocks by about 22,000 crop correspondents, excluding flocks numbering 400 or more hens and pullets of laying age on Jan. 1.

Eggs Laid Daily per Farm Flock<sup>1</sup>

Area and year	1936											
	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
<b>N. AT. STATES</b>												
10-year average, 1925-34	20.3	26.4	35.3	47.9	49.6	44.4	36.3	32.5	27.6	20.8	14.3	15.6
1936	25.7	29.5	39.6	53.1	52.1	45.3	37.9	33.8	29.1	24.6	19.6	22.0
1937	32.2	40.1	47.1	53.2	53.7	47.9	40.5	36.2	30.5	25.1	20.6	---
<b>N. CENT. STATES</b>												
10-year average, 1925-34	16.7	25.2	40.5	58.7	59.7	50.4	39.6	32.2	28.3	22.4	14.9	12.5
1936	19.1	22.2	28.1	56.1	57.2	48.6	37.9	26.6	23.9	20.9	14.9	14.7
1937	23.1	25.5	37.5	53.7	58.6	49.6	37.5	32.0	27.8	23.0	17.2	---
<b>S. AT. STATES</b>												
10-year average, 1925-34	12.3	17.1	24.8	29.2	26.8	22.9	20.2	17.5	14.5	12.6	10.4	9.9
1936	10.5	13.8	20.8	27.1	24.7	21.3	18.7	16.3	14.1	12.3	11.8	10.9
1937	13.8	19.6	24.6	29.0	27.4	23.0	19.1	17.2	14.9	13.2	11.9	---
<b>S. CENT. STATES</b>												
10-year average, 1925-34	11.8	17.4	27.9	33.0	29.6	24.8	20.5	17.3	14.6	13.8	11.9	10.0
1936	10.5	14.2	21.4	29.4	25.7	21.9	17.2	15.4	12.3	12.2	10.6	9.2
1937	12.9	14.9	26.1	30.1	28.9	23.3	18.9	17.0	14.6	13.8	12.1	---
<b>WEST. STATES</b>												
10-year average, 1925-34	15.1	20.3	31.1	39.2	39.5	34.7	29.6	26.3	23.0	18.7	14.1	12.3
1936	17.2	23.3	27.2	38.1	37.9	33.2	29.2	25.1	21.7	18.2	15.2	14.9
1937	18.6	18.9	30.4	39.6	40.1	37.4	30.1	28.4	23.9	20.3	16.5	---
<b>UNITED STATES</b>												
10-year average, 1925-34	14.6	21.1	32.7	43.2	42.2	35.9	29.2	24.6	21.1	17.6	13.0	11.5
1936	15.1	18.7	25.4	40.8	39.5	33.8	27.2	21.6	18.6	16.6	13.3	12.8
1937	18.5	21.6	31.7	40.7	41.8	35.4	27.9	24.6	21.1	18.3	14.8	---

<sup>1</sup> As reported in the returns of flocks by about 22,000 crop correspondents, excluding flocks numbering 400 or more hens and pullets of laying age on Jan. 1.

Index of Farm Prices of Eggs, Chickens, and Feed for Poultry

[1921-30 average for same month = 100<sup>1</sup>]

Item	1936			1937											
	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.		
Eggs	77	75	68	59	64	85	92	81	80	83	79	76	71		
Chickens	71	70	68	68	67	70	71	69	69	73	82	86	89		
Feed for poultry	111	116	119	122	122	121	134	131	123	122	104	98	76		

<sup>1</sup> Revised base.

Pounds of Milk Produced per Milk Cow in Herds Kept by Crop Correspondents on Nov. 1, 1937, With Comparisons, Averages for Grand Divisions, and Details for Some of the Included States

State averages calculated by dividing the reported total daily milk production on the 1st of each November by the number of milk cows in milk or dry on the farms reporting. The United States average is based on about 20,000 herds. To reduce to quarts divide by 2.15]

State	10-year average, 1925-34	1935	1936	1937
<b>New England</b>	14.68	14.52	14.90	15.29
New York	15.0	15.0	16.1	14.8
New Jersey	17.4	17.2	17.8	18.2
Pennsylvania	15.2	15.5	15.8	15.0
<b>North Atlantic</b>	15.04	15.21	15.90	15.25
Ohio	13.9	13.6	14.4	13.5
Indiana	13.1	11.9	13.8	12.2
Illinois	12.4	11.0	13.6	12.3
Michigan	14.7	14.7	15.5	14.7
Wisconsin	13.2	12.7	15.5	12.5
<b>East North Central</b>	13.39	12.72	14.77	12.90
Minnesota	11.8	11.4	12.3	12.1
Iowa	11.7	11.0	13.1	11.8
Missouri	9.3	8.2	9.0	8.7
North Dakota	9.3	9.6	9.1	9.9
South Dakota	9.2	9.0	8.7	9.1
Nebraska	10.8	10.3	11.0	10.3
Kansas	11.3	10.4	10.8	11.1
<b>West North Central</b>	10.72	10.05	10.90	10.65
Maryland	14.4	14.3	13.9	13.3
Virginia	11.1	11.1	10.7	11.5
West Virginia	11.4	10.6	11.5	10.8
North Carolina	10.9	10.4	10.8	10.8
South Carolina	9.4	9.5	9.8	9.6
<b>South Atlantic</b>	10.63	10.53	10.63	10.59
Kentucky	11.0	9.4	11.0	10.4
Tennessee	9.5	8.7	9.2	9.4
Mississippi	7.0	6.5	6.6	6.6
Arkansas	8.4	7.0	7.3	8.2
Oklahoma	9.3	8.1	8.7	9.5
Texas	8.4	8.5	9.1	8.7
<b>South Central</b>	8.76	8.09	8.70	8.70
Montana	11.4	10.8	10.3	12.4
Idaho	15.4	16.2	15.7	16.2
Wyoming	11.0	12.5	11.4	11.0
Colorado	11.4	11.5	11.4	11.5
Washington	16.0	16.3	16.9	16.8
Oregon	14.4	14.0	14.5	14.8
California	15.5	17.3	16.1	18.3
<b>Western</b>	13.54	13.85	13.75	14.74
<b>United States</b>	11.82	11.31	12.20	11.74

Hog-Corn Ratios, 1927-37

Number of Bushels of Corn Required to Buy 100 Pounds of Live Hogs, Based on Averages of Farm Prices of Corn and Hogs for the Month

Year	Averages of Farm Prices of Corn and Hogs for the Month												Average
	Jan. 15	Feb. 15	Mar. 15	Apr. 15	May 15	June 15	July 15	Aug. 15	Sept. 15	Oct. 15	Nov. 15	Dec. 15	
1927	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.	Bu.
1928	10.4	9.6	8.7	8.4	8.6	8.5	9.4	10.2	11.7	11.3	11.3	10.4	9.9
1929	10.2	10.2	11.3	11.7	11.6	11.3	11.3	10.7	9.8	9.9	10.5	10.9	10.8
1930	11.4	12.2	12.8	11.7	11.6	11.5	10.9	9.5	10.3	10.7	12.4	11.5	11.4
1931	11.8	11.6	12.0	12.0	11.3	10.6	11.5	12.3	12.6	14.1	11.9	10.9	11.9
1932	11.2	10.9	12.1	11.4	9.8	9.6	14.1	13.4	13.5	15.0	15.7	14.5	12.6
1933	14.0	15.2	15.6	11.4	10.0	9.9	7.2	7.8	8.0	10.7	9.1	7.0	10.5
1934	7.0	8.5	8.2	7.4	6.5	6.3	6.7	6.3	7.8	6.8	6.7	6.0	7.0
1935	8.1	8.4	9.8	9.2	9.3	10.0	10.2	12.6	13.2	13.3	15.1	16.5	11.3
1936	16.7	16.8	16.3	16.4	14.3	14.5	11.4	9.5	9.2	9.4	9.2	9.5	12.8
1937	9.3	8.9	8.7	7.6	7.7	8.5	9.1	11.2	11.2	16.6	---	---	---

# Livestock-Meats-Wool

Weights and Prices of Stocker and Feeder Steers at Chicago, Kansas City, and South St. Paul

October 1937, With Comparisons

Weight range	Number of head			Percent of total by weight ranges			Average weight (pounds)			Average price per 100 pounds (dollars)		
	October 1937	September 1937	October 1936	October 1937	September 1937	October 1936	October 1937	September 1937	October 1936	October 1937	September 1937	October 1936
	<b>Chicago</b>											
1,001 lb. up	452	373	414	1.7	1.7	1.5	1,066	1,065	1,045	9.11	10.50	6.41
901-1,000 lb.	1,703	1,508	1,289	6.5	6.9	4.8	940	940	943	8.34	9.54	6.75
801-900 lb.	4,151	3,668	3,227	15.7	16.7	12.1	845	846	850	7.96	8.62	6.30
701-800 lb.	5,142	4,720	5,905	19.5	21.6	22.1	747	743	743	7.91	8.37	6.23
501-700 lb.	14,916	11,641	15,942	56.6	53.1	59.5	612	615	607	7.49	7.86	5.91
<b>Total</b>	26,364	21,910	26,777	100.0	100.0	100.0	704	711	690	7.78	8.35	6.11
<b>Kansas City</b>												
1,001 lb. up	760	1,220	238	1.7	3.8	.7	1,050	1,055	1,041	8.71	10.92	6.98
901-1,000 lb.	2,251	2,931	1,641	5.2	9.3	5.2	946	930	938	8.05	9.24	6.50
801-900 lb.	7,614	5,799	5,409	17.4	18.3	17.0	835	841	846	7.62	7.87	6.01
701-800 lb.	9,797	7,507	7,231	22.4	23.7	22.8	751	756	742	7.57	7.82	6.01
501-700 lb.	23,293	14,212	17,219	53.3	44.9	54.3	616	605	606	7.43	7.59	5.90
<b>Total</b>	43,715	31,689	31,738	100.0	100.0	100.0	710	731	698	7.58	8.09	6.01
<b>South St. Paul</b>												
1,001 lb. up	26	113	317	.2	.8	2.1	1,022	1,081	1,049	7.00	8.15	6.11
901-1,000 lb.	708	462	558	6.1	3.0	3.7	932	948	943	8.73	9.36	5.81
801-900 lb.	1,810	2,305	1,478	15.5	15.0	9.9	848	841	835	7.26	8.15	5.44
701-800 lb.	2,787	2,583	2,812	23.8	16.8	18.8	736	742	747	7.17	7.27	5.51
501-700 lb.	6,355	9,889	9,829	54.4	64.4	65.5	608	604	623	6.84	7.30	5.21
<b>Total</b>	11,686	15,352	14,994	100.0	100.0	100.0	696	677	688	7.16	7.55	5.36

Beef Steers Sold Out of First Hands at Chicago for Slaughter

October 1937, With Comparisons

Grade	Number of head			Percent of total by grades			Average weight (pounds)			Average price per 100 pounds		
	October 1937	September 1937	October 1936	October 1937	September 1937	October 1936	October 1937	September 1937	October 1936	October 1937	September 1937	October 1936
	<b>Choice and Prime</b>	5,146	12,988	34,556	13.6	28.7	53.2	1,091	1,080	1,147	\$17.77	\$17.38
<b>Good</b>	20,198	18,277	17,840	53.3	40.3	27.4	1,048	999	1,114	13.39	13.88	9.10
<b>Medium</b>	9,439	9,766	7,585	24.9	21.6	11.7	1,008	959	973	10.01	10.40	8.14
<b>Common</b>	3,084	4,270	5,010	8.2	9.4	7.7	852	841	853	7.35	8.01	6.58
<b>Total</b>	37,867	45,301	64,991	100.0	100.0	100.0	1,028	999	1,097	12.79	13.78	9.31

Average Weight and Cost of Hogs

[Computed on packer and shipper purchases]

Market	October 1937		September 1937		October 1936		Calendar year 1936	
	Wt.	Cost	Wt.	Cost	Wt.	Cost	Wt.	Cost
		<i>Lb.</i>	<i>Per 100 lb.</i>	<i>Lb.</i>	<i>Per 100 lb.</i>	<i>Lb.</i>	<i>Per 100 lb.</i>	<i>Lb.</i>
Chicago	242	\$10.03	262	\$11.37	226	\$9.55	240	\$9.89
East St. Louis	219	10.24	212	11.77	211	9.72	215	10.06
Kansas City	225	9.85	232	11.26	209	9.22	217	9.73
Omaha	249	9.43	269	10.47	207	9.04	235	9.43
Sioux City	262	9.31	273	10.43	208	8.97	239	9.39
South St. Joseph	238	9.65	239	11.02	209	9.21	221	9.60
South St. Paul	224	9.63	244	10.87	205	9.11	232	9.39
<b>Weighted average, 7 markets</b>	234	9.81	248	11.10	212	9.27	232	9.64
Cincinnati	211	10.48	205	11.92	212	9.97	213	10.31
Denver	236	9.85	239	11.12	229	9.51	235	9.79
Fort Worth	204	9.67	201	10.86	212	9.38	212	9.38
Wichita	223	9.79	227	11.42	218	9.20	225	9.65

Animals Slaughtered Under Federal Meat Inspection, October 1937

Station	Cattle	Calves	Sheep and lambs	Swine
Baltimore	10,954	1,752	4,630	39,976
Chicago <sup>1</sup>	127,605	28,527	212,627	324,038
Denver	17,341	3,126	48,848	14,491
Kansas City	69,704	37,569	92,255	96,837
New York <sup>2</sup>	30,403	63,008	255,287	196,670
Omaha	69,301	16,101	83,339	72,518
St. Louis <sup>3</sup>	63,690	44,951	50,403	197,223
Sioux City	32,118	5,295	61,390	43,305
South St. Paul <sup>4</sup>	80,336	48,513	131,069	199,702
All other stations	456,932	273,686	589,697	1,526,156
<b>Total:</b>				
October 1937	958,384	524,528	1,529,575	2,710,916
October 1936	1,124,175	585,425	1,741,798	3,491,671
10 months ended October 1937	8,354,274	5,361,216	14,546,064	24,388,937
10 months ended October 1936	8,996,589	5,099,185	14,098,830	27,082,233
Commercial	3,500	163		
Government				

Slaughter:	Horses	Goats
October 1937	1,754	2,553
October 1936	1,409	1,747
10 months ended October 1937	10,556	6,597
10 months ended October 1936	9,815	12,214

<sup>1</sup> Includes Elburn, Ill.  
<sup>2</sup> Includes Jersey City and Newark, N. J.  
<sup>3</sup> Includes National Stock Yards and East St. Louis, Ill.  
<sup>4</sup> Includes Newport and St. Paul, Minn.

Amount of Federally Inspected Meats Apparently Available for Consumption, Per Capita

September 1937, With Comparisons

	Beef and veal		Pork (including lard)		Lamb and mutton		Total	
	Total	Per capita <sup>1</sup>	Total	Per capita <sup>1</sup>	Total	Per capita <sup>1</sup>	Total	Per capita <sup>1</sup>
		<i>Mil-lion lb.</i>	<i>Lb.</i>	<i>Mil-lion lb.</i>	<i>Lb.</i>	<i>Mil-lion lb.</i>	<i>Lb.</i>	<i>Mil-lion lb.</i>
September 1937	502	3.9	464	3.6	64	.49	1,030	8.0
September 1936	559	4.3	456	3.6	60	.47	1,075	8.4
Increase or decrease	-57	-.4	+8	-----	+4	+.02	-45	-.4
Percent <sup>1</sup>	-10.1	-----	+1.7	-----	+6.5	-----	-4.2	-----
<b>Accumulation:</b>								
Jan.-Sept. 1937	4,208	32.6	4,014	31.1	523	4.0	8,745	67.7
Jan.-Sept. 1936	4,433	34.5	3,944	30.7	486	3.8	8,862	69.1
Increase or decrease	-225	-1.9	+70	+.4	+37	+.2	-117	-1.4
Percent <sup>1</sup>	-5.1	-----	+1.8	-----	+7.5	-----	-1.3	-----

<sup>1</sup> Per capita consumption and percent of increase or decrease computed on full number of pounds.

Wool: Monthly Average Prices at Boston

October 1937, Compared With Corresponding Month, 1936

[In cents per pound]

Grade	Scoured basis				Grease basis	
	Territory		Fleece		Ohio and Pennsylvania	
	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936
<b>Fine:</b>						
Staple	92.1	90.0	93.8	89.0	37.9	35.8
French combing	87.0	86.5	85.0	82.0	-----	-----
Clothing	80.8	82.8	78.4	78.4	32.5	31.2
<b>1/2 Blood:</b>						
Staple	87.4	87.8	85.9	83.4	38.8	36.5
French combing	82.8	84.8	81.2	77.1	-----	-----
Clothing	80.0	81.2	77.4	72.9	34.8	32.8
<b>3/8 Blood:</b>						
Combining	78.8	79.8	75.0	73.6	39.8	39.2
Clothing	73.4	74.5	70.5	66.8	36.8	35.8
<b>1/4 Blood: Combing</b>	74.8	72.5	68.5	67.6	38.2	38.2
<b>Low 1/4 Blood</b>	66.8	64.5	64.5	61.6	36.8	35.2
<b>Common and Braid</b>	63.6	56.1	62.0	53.2	36.2	32.1



## Statistical Report of the Livestock and Meat Situation, September 1937, With Comparisons

Item	September			Total or average, January-September		
	5-year average <sup>1</sup>	1936	1937	5-year average <sup>1</sup>	1936	1937
<b>Cattle, Calves, Beef, and Veal</b>						
Inspected slaughter:						
Cattle.....number.....	869,320	1,071,452	939,019	6,781,923	7,872,414	7,395,890
Calves.....do.....	448,795	552,658	537,446	4,067,131	4,513,760	4,836,690
Carcasses condemned:						
Cattle.....do.....	5,606	6,675	5,344	47,947	49,188	45,881
Calves.....do.....	920	1,278	1,142	11,930	15,231	17,809
Average live weight: <sup>2</sup>						
Cattle.....pounds.....	920.29	908.94	882.94	930.81	924.84	900.51
Calves.....do.....	203.95	211.68	214.87	180.35	186.85	184.47
Average dressed weight: <sup>2</sup>						
Cattle.....do.....	491.60	476.85	451.31	506.19	494.60	473.24
Calves.....do.....	114.06	116.16	120.29	103.10	105.05	105.67
Total dressed weight (carcass, excluding condemned):						
Beef.....1,000 pounds.....	424,599	507,739	421,377	3,408,698	3,869,349	3,478,297
Veal.....do.....	51,085	64,048	64,512	418,084	472,554	509,195
Storage beginning of month or period:						
Fresh beef.....do.....	37,162	43,863	29,250	65,202	84,339	159,493
Cured beef.....do.....	15,727	20,392	15,332	19,288	21,871	34,267
Storage end of month or period:						
Fresh beef.....do.....	43,777	59,677	25,169	43,777	59,677	25,169
Cured beef.....do.....	16,366	23,129	13,577	16,366	23,129	13,577
Exports:						
Fresh beef and veal.....do.....	322	410	501	2,839	3,245	3,624
Cured beef.....do.....	1,003	923	378	7,831	6,219	4,390
Canned beef.....do.....	128	149	147	1,275	1,411	2,067
Oleo oil and stearin.....do.....	2,191	861	438	20,677	8,067	4,169
Tallow.....do.....	161	12	0	2,666	689	187
Imports: <sup>3</sup>						
Fresh beef and veal.....do.....	189	215	967	2,475	3,348	3,605
Beef and veal pickled or cured.....do.....	76	270	145	854	1,638	1,476
Beef, canned.....do.....	5,039	6,439	10,421	42,038	73,304	70,328
Receipts, cattle, and calves <sup>4</sup> .....thousand.....	2,328	2,264	2,360	15,524	16,154	16,328
Stocker and feeder shipments <sup>4</sup> .....do.....	404	380	437	1,952	1,966	2,177
Cattle on farms January 1.....do.....		67,908	66,676			
Price per 100 pounds:						
Cattle, average cost for slaughter <sup>2</sup> .....dollar.....	5.41	6.15	7.56	5.48	6.36	7.78
Calves, average cost for slaughter <sup>2</sup> .....do.....	5.83	6.42	8.13	5.85	7.14	7.99
Cattle, Good steers, 900-1,300 pounds, Chicago.....do.....	8.41	8.80	14.34	8.15	8.95	12.52
Veal calves, Medium to Choice, Chicago.....do.....	7.38	8.54	11.12	6.57	8.41	9.19
Beef carcasses, Good grade, eastern markets.....do.....	13.50	14.12	22.14	12.65	13.58	18.42
Veal carcasses, Good grade, eastern markets.....do.....	13.34	15.04	18.68	12.21	14.70	15.54
<b>Hogs, Pork, and Pork Products</b>						
Inspected slaughter, hogs.....number.....	2,549,312	2,403,342	2,032,557	28,490,774	23,590,562	21,678,021
Carcasses condemned.....do.....	9,234	6,756	6,966	90,969	70,669	63,977
Average live weight <sup>2</sup> .....pound.....	231.41	223.56	232.44	230.11	232.91	225.15
Average dressed weight <sup>2</sup> .....do.....	172.09	165.39	173.39	173.39	175.77	167.47
Total dressed weight (carcass, excluding condemned).....1,000 pounds.....	437,118	396,371	341,231	4,924,319	4,133,991	3,619,657
Lard per 100 pounds live weight.....pound.....	12.84	11.13	9.24	14.27	12.60	11.04
Storage beginning of month or period:						
Fresh pork.....1,000 pounds.....	124,976	91,883	91,024	132,490	58,270	285,786
Cured pork.....do.....	399,761	328,965	276,571	407,148	268,507	381,105
Lard.....do.....	131,261	110,561	79,129	52,718	52,718	145,809
Storage end of month or period:						
Fresh pork.....do.....	92,987	76,590	54,922	92,987	76,590	54,922
Cured pork.....do.....	365,438	285,018	227,612	365,438	285,018	227,612
Lard.....do.....	107,583	101,796	72,614	107,583	101,796	72,614
Exports:						
Fresh pork.....do.....	754	206	85	10,219	1,603	2,469
Cured pork.....do.....	6,371	3,407	2,662	69,031	45,633	35,599
Canned pork.....do.....	741	594	462	5,479	5,479	5,412
Sausage.....do.....	521	443	310	5,175	3,185	3,126
Lard.....do.....	27,055	7,876	9,808	275,047	82,497	77,320
Imports: <sup>3</sup>						
Fresh pork.....do.....	340	1,090	1,402	2,851	9,190	17,443
Pork, pickled, salted, and other.....do.....	98	201	329	868	1,971	4,512
Prepared or preserved hams, shoulders, and bacon.....do.....	635	2,375	4,093	4,957	17,479	36,585
Receipts of hogs <sup>4</sup> .....thousand.....	2,850	1,939	1,533	22,801	17,492	15,849
Stocker and feeder shipments <sup>4</sup> .....do.....	48	32	32	330	446	294
Hogs on farms January 1.....do.....		42,837	42,774			
Price per 100 pounds:						
Average cost for slaughter <sup>2</sup> .....dollar.....	6.47	9.97	11.22	5.60	9.87	10.52
At Chicago, live hogs, medium weight.....do.....	7.76	10.68	12.02	6.69	10.49	11.21
At eastern markets:						
Fresh pork loins, 10-15 pounds.....do.....	18.92	23.65	25.93	15.58	20.73	22.61
Shoulders, skinned.....do.....	14.36	18.06	21.06	12.43	17.21	18.25
Picnics, 6-8 pounds <sup>6</sup> .....do.....	13.47	17.34	20.95	11.80	16.79	17.26
Butts, Boston style.....do.....	16.95	21.67	24.82	14.66	20.10	21.81
Bacon, breakfast, No. 1, sweet pickle cure, 8-10 pounds.....do.....	20.17	25.36	27.79	18.00	26.25	24.54
Hams, smoked, No. 2, 12-14 pounds.....do.....	18.65	23.62	25.16	16.69	23.72	23.05
Lard, hardwood tubs.....do.....	11.61	13.05	13.36	9.94	12.29	13.81
<b>Sheep, Lamb, and Mutton</b>						
Inspected slaughter, sheep and lambs.....number.....	1,579,183	1,592,912	1,670,961	12,764,000	12,357,032	13,016,489
Carcasses condemned.....do.....	2,876	5,065	6,520	18,174	30,375	30,859
Average live weight <sup>2</sup> .....pound.....	80.13	81.15	81.72	82.52	84.32	84.32
Average dressed weight <sup>2</sup> .....do.....	38.09	38.35	38.49	38.92	39.47	39.62
Total dressed weight (carcass, excluding condemned).....1,000 pounds.....	60,044	60,894	64,064	496,025	486,500	514,531
Storage, fresh lamb and mutton:						
Beginning of month or period.....do.....	1,753	2,634	1,928	3,336	3,025	10,228
End of month or period.....do.....	2,204	3,374	1,887	2,204	3,374	1,887
Exports, fresh lamb and mutton.....do.....	37	39	34	334	343	417
Imports, fresh lamb and mutton <sup>3</sup> .....do.....	2	1	3	30	24	111
Receipts of sheep <sup>4</sup> .....thousand.....	3,012	2,766	2,994	19,605	17,871	18,854
Stocker and feeder shipments <sup>4</sup> .....do.....	564	480	633	1,743	1,597	1,981
Sheeps on farms January 1.....do.....		52,022	52,576			
Price per 100 pounds:						
Average cost for slaughter.....dollar.....	6.84	8.22	9.46	7.28	9.12	9.90
At Chicago:						
Lambs, 90 pounds down, Good and Choice.....do.....	7.63	9.38	10.56	7.92	10.21	11.11
Sheep, Medium to Choice.....do.....	2.47	3.18	3.85	3.13	4.16	4.95
At eastern markets—						
Lamb carcasses, Good grade.....do.....	15.12	17.91	20.73	15.83	18.70	18.88
Mutton, Good grade.....do.....	7.69	8.91	11.39	8.71	9.85	10.60

<sup>1</sup> 1932-36.<sup>2</sup> Weighted average.<sup>3</sup> Beginning 1934 figures represent imports for consumption.<sup>4</sup> Public stockyards.<sup>5</sup> New York only.<sup>6</sup> Boston only.<sup>7</sup> 8-month average.<sup>8</sup> 7-month average.

Receipts and Disposition of Livestock at Public Stockyards for October

[68 markets]

Table with columns for Market, Receipts, Local slaughter, Stocker and feeder shipments, Total shipments, Calves, and Receipts. Rows list various markets like Atlanta, Baltimore, Birmingham, etc., with corresponding livestock movement data for 1937 and 1936.

1 Disposition of stock not reported.

NOTE.—This report represents the total livestock movements at the specified stockyards, including through shipments. Direct shipments to packers are included only when such shipments pass through the stockyards.

Receipts and Disposition of Livestock at Public Stockyards for October—Continued

[68 markets]

Market	Hogs								Sheep and lambs							
	Receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments		Receipts		Local slaughter		Stocker and feeder shipments		Total shipments	
	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936	1937	1936
Atlanta, Ga.	309	4,951	181	207			128	4,740		2	1	13				
Baltimore, Md.	26,513	41,603	13,733	29,349			12,780	12,254	23,882	22,263	10,431	11,052	4	53	13,451	11,211
Birmingham, Ala.	308	188	293	188	20		20			1		1				
Boston, Mass.	5,402	4,744	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	2,304	2,369	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Buffalo, N. Y.	19,735	28,592	8,702	13,940	99	95	10,137	14,355	68,139	78,047	18,177	17,808	8,503	127	48,886	60,379
Bushnell, Ill.	3,804	6,454	6	3	153	419	3,800	6,452	117	488		2	65	308	117	721
Chatanooga, Tenn.	1,784	1,675	1,784	1,675					103	140	103	140				
Cheyenne, Wyo.	187	13,896					187	13,896	11,360	17,032					11,360	17,032
Chicago, Ill.	295,463	407,668	257,113	362,981	397	119	38,350	44,687	204,678	311,186	161,686	217,417	23,025	80,358	42,992	93,769
Cincinnati, Ohio	75,201	86,295	54,406	68,841	69	85	20,795	17,454	30,499	26,834	26,584	18,265	994	282	3,915	8,569
Cleveland, Ohio	27,486	23,301	24,156	20,611			3,330	2,690	26,700	30,402	21,145	21,999	680	1,265	5,555	8,403
Dayton, Ohio	6,147	7,142	3,648	4,258			2,499	2,884	2,008	1,779	828	456			1,180	1,323
Denver, Colo.	16,524	37,466	16,253	27,969	240	594	601	9,544	668,604	532,872	50,444	41,769	380,053	253,891	612,334	517,910
Detroit, Mich.	19,128	19,713	16,306	17,765	431	600	2,822	1,948	46,947	48,600	31,066	27,331	2,714	3,331	15,881	21,269
East St. Louis, Ill.	186,406	232,203	76,100	104,821	618	1,234	111,336	128,931	67,134	54,408	61,882	46,654	266	675	5,057	7,855
El Paso, Tex.	3,238	3,499	3,238	2,980		176		519	6,174	10,689	112	801	6,062	9,489	6,062	9,868
Evansville, Ind.	16,144	10,523	15,978	10,479	168	45	168	45	3,409	2,526	3,405	2,526			7	9
Fort Wayne, Ind.	5,392	6,061					5,392	6,061	3,509	2,749					3,509	2,749
Fort Worth, Tex.	28,967	19,439	25,629	16,203	788	784	3,337	3,232	64,149	26,773	23,701	15,591	22,069	7,544	36,852	11,345
Houston, Tex.	698	297	698	297					468	39	28	39			440	
Indianapolis, Ind.	131,816	156,114	48,572	64,860	286	287	83,376	91,799	40,640	42,157	15,454	11,336	1,136	1,788	25,186	30,821
Jacksonville, Fla.	1,752	1,648	1,628	1,440	4		115	332	46	43	43	126	3		3	18
Jersey City, N. J.	18,163	29,965	17,881	28,299			282	1,662	131,360	153,619	131,360	149,323			4,296	
Joplin, Mo.	6,433	8,845	1,616	1,002	1,635	3,000	4,817	7,843	1,649	1,079	16	1	319	240	1,633	1,078
Kansas City, Mo.	42,928	68,413	34,273	47,786	1,710	9,348	9,350	22,264	112,043	155,012	68,547	105,920	29,587	35,117	43,991	47,577
Knoxville, Tenn.	2,838	3,605	2,838	3,605					225	107	225	107				
La Fayette, Ind.	9,238	7,968	387	722	2	50	8,875	7,235	1,739	2,166	16	48	140	319	1,720	2,080
Lancaster, Pa.	11,388	9,430	1,028	1,078			10,360	8,352	3,129	1,507	110	24			3,019	1,483
Laredo, Tex.		17							17	130						
Los Angeles, Calif.	8,973	5,787	9,425	5,903	153	64	153	64	6,481	10,045	6,020	13,074	38	627	38	627
Louisville, Ky.	14,667	13,645	9,044	10,640	152	65	5,623	3,005	10,851	9,948	1,591	1,464	3,779	1,875	9,260	8,484
Memphis, Tenn.	7,733	7,991	6,419	5,341	1,527	1,949	1,587	1,998	278	92	43	75	1	1	231	1
Milwaukee, Wis.	63,915	82,826	56,417	66,471	222	321	7,496	16,353	15,437	16,631	6,969	11,276	900	305	8,451	5,289
Montgomery, Ala.	2,925	6,961	2,360	2,819	296	117	522	4,142	1	12	2	8	4	4	1	4
Moultrie, Ga.	4,149	8,284	2,981	3,744	774	4,518	1,180	4,518								
Muncie, Ind.	7,290	9,587	4,535	4,673			2,800	5,115	2,742	2,343	109	92			2,633	2,251
Nashville, Tenn.	9,736	7,511	5,745	4,080			3,991	3,431	1,694	2,512	1,322	2,249			372	263
Newark, N. J.	32,337	45,812	31,663	43,684					7,531	10,925	7,388	11,038				
New Orleans, La.	3,121	2,921	3,066	2,701	106	217			69	140	26	114	12		23	9
New York, N. Y.	78,801	88,225	78,801	88,225					26,082	27,532	26,082	27,532				
North Salt Lake, Utah	17,105	42,025	2,840	3,047	400	2,000	14,527	39,389	87,342	90,162	1,309	964	38,000	28,000	91,198	94,397
Ogden, Utah	12,485	14,264	3,172	4,723	144	3,122	9,746	9,729	81,651	108,475	5,087	1,491	34,876	42,242	80,170	108,850
Oklahoma City, Okla.	23,713	34,102	22,553	32,947	699	948	1,185	1,319	9,014	5,526	4,480	3,479	4,438	2,143	4,648	2,143
Omaha, Nebr.	80,915	152,759	68,662	113,694	1,171	554	12,253	39,065	156,510	169,918	68,884	92,617	68,700	69,806	87,626	77,301
Parsons, Kans.	4,491	6,995	238	613	423	1,175	4,253	6,382	1,281	831		31	211	123	1,281	800
Paseo, Wash.	221	2,025					221	1,676	394	6,519					606	6,519
Peoria, Ill.	36,324	46,047	11,232	11,368	285	352	24,954	34,959	7,419	10,561	388	425	517	1	6,909	10,160
Philadelphia, Pa.	26,219	24,079	25,499	23,895			720	184	16,599	12,520	12,235	11,589			4,364	931
Pittsburgh, Pa.	41,887	55,449	35,263	47,894			6,624	7,555	70,877	66,821	11,518	10,522			59,359	56,299
Portland, Oreg.	21,713	20,132	12,400	12,039	499	1,767	9,303	8,307	21,089	21,906	9,131	8,878	673	1,490	12,008	12,898
Pueblo, Colo.									114,062	88,942	167	164	85,434	42,895	114,689	88,778
Richmond, Va.	13,964	10,958	13,858	10,908	93	50	106	50	565	363	550	363	15		15	
St. Joseph, Mo.	66,964	95,556	61,974	81,251	1,425	604	5,769	14,784	68,604	79,065	44,472	60,087	24,748	18,258	24,748	19,063
St. Louis, Mo.	7,233	7,161	5,369	5,205	80	100	2,099	1,957	1,955	2,058	1,353	1,229	93	100	524	831
San Antonio, Tex.	15,915	8,610	4,772	5,875	530	370	11,056	2,763	1,189	3,619	423	1,455	811	464	811	2,164
Seattle, Wash.	7,707	7,954	7,458	7,290	249	663	249	664	5,741	10,701	4,739	9,144			1,002	1,557
Sioux City, Iowa	51,517	117,108	43,034	79,531	3,613	6,289	8,483	37,577	83,665	94,106	42,055	56,373	40,431	30,934	41,550	37,733
Sioux Falls, S. Dak.	13,284	29,541	13,059	14,196	7	239	266	15,238	25,535	32,177	5,909	701	5,442	6,426	20,832	34,192
So. St. Paul, Minn.	181,841	298,251	146,596	202,855	7,415	11,140	31,987	96,229	251,964	384,262	108,906	153,243	50,043	75,267	139,725	235,910
So. San Francisco	18,835	19,670	17,909	16,656			926	3,014	19,857	21,248	16,121	15,661	441		4,253	5,936
Spokane, Wash.	4,206	7,131	3,274	2,855	551	2,416	788	4,154	11,928	4,393	3,616	1,128	8,399	2,046	8,399	3,394
Springfield, Ill.	13,179	15,341	687	559	121	420	12,307	14,668	216	329	18	23	92	85	212	312
Springfield, Mo.	9,478	12,502	2,260	2,516	1,185	2,215	7,218	9,986	2,342	2,908		20	219	86	2,342	2,888
Stockton, Calif.	3,024	3,479					3,024	3,509	8,186	4,114			17	13	7,773	4,114
Toledo, Ohio	1,624	2,485	1,119	1,073	36		521	1,417	413	434	413	434				
Tulsa, Okla.	7,962	5,942	2,771	2,041	1,151	1,428	5,191	3,910	217	430	15	15	83	389	202	419
West Fargo, N. Dak.	7,948	20,385	104	15	1,425	407	7,658	20,380	41,002	36,828	2	29	5,600	2,181	40,823	37,415
Wichita, Kans.	19,702	24,296	19,084	22,523	799	1,382	799	1,921	15,383	6,595	6,209	5,388	7,322	913	7,723	913
Discontinued markets																

Receipts and Disposition of Livestock at Public Stockyards

October 1937, With Comparisons

[Thousands: i. e., 000 omitted]

Table with columns: Class and year, Receipts (October, January to October, Total for year), Local slaughter (October, January to October, Total for year), Stocker and feeder (October, January to October, Total for year), Total shipments (October, January to October, Total for year). Rows include Cattle, Calves, Hogs, and Sheep.

Receipts of Horses and Mules at Public Stockyards, October 1937

Table with columns: Market, 1937, 1936, Market, 1937, 1936. Lists various markets like Atlanta, Buffalo, Chicago, etc., and compares 1937 and 1936 data. Includes a section for accumulated receipts and October average 5 years, 1932-36.

1 Totals for horses and mules separately are partly estimated as a few stockyard companies do not separate horses and mules on their reports.

Lard: Estimated Production and Consumption From Federally Inspected Slaughter

September 1937

Table with columns: Production, Storage beginning of month, Storage end of month, Exports (refined and neutral), Apparent consumption, Per capita consumption. Includes sub-columns for September 1937, August 1937, and September 1936.

Lamb Feeding Situation, November 1, 1937

The movement of feeder lambs, both from markets and direct, in October this year, was considerably larger than in October last year, and the total number of lambs to be fed this season is expected to be considerably larger than last.

Present indications are that the number of lambs fed will be larger this season than last in the Corn Belt States, in Texas, and in Colorado; that the number fed will show some reduction in the other Rocky Mountain States, and that a considerably smaller number will be fed in States west of the Continental Divide.

Shipments of feeder lambs from the producing area in Texas to other States and to feeding areas within Texas continued very large and were expected to set a new record for October. Shipments into the northern Colorado and the Scottsbluff, Nebr., feeding areas were much larger than in October last year, and the number fed in both these areas this season will be much above a year earlier, with the number in the Scottsbluff area probably the largest on record.

The average weights of feeder lambs from the Mountain and Intermountain States are reported as considerably heavier this year than last. The average weights of feeder lambs shipped from Chicago in September and October this year were 6 and 8 pounds, respectively, heavier than in the corresponding months in 1936. Because of the much larger proportion of relatively light-weight Texas lambs in the total being fed this year, however, it is probable that the average weight of all lambs on feed in November this year is no greater than a year earlier.

Shipments of feeder lambs from 12 leading markets into the Corn Belt States were about 10 percent larger in October this year than last, and the percentage increase in shipments for all markets was probably even greater. For the 4 months, July through October, total shipments from markets into the Corn Belt are estimated as between 15 and 20 percent larger this year than last. The total this year is larger than in 4 of the 5 preceding years, being exceeded in 1934. Most of the increase over last year is in the number going into the States west of the Mississippi River, but the number into the States east of the river is larger than last year.

1 Includes animals purchased for Federal Surplus Relief Corporation from June 6, 1934, to Feb. 7, 1935, for cattle and calves, and from Sept. 14 to Dec. 15, 1934, for sheep. 2 Includes many pigs and sows received for Government account in Emergency Hog Production Control program from Aug. 22 to Oct. 7, 1933.

# Dairy and Poultry

## Stocks, Imports, and Exports of Evaporated, Condensed, and Dry Milk

Stocks Oct. 1, With Comparisons: Imports and Exports During September, With Comparisons

Stocks	Oct. 1, 1937	Sept. 1, 1937 <sup>1</sup>	Oct. 1, 1936 <sup>1</sup>
Evaporated (case goods).....	1,000 lb. 227,710	1,000 lb. 263,324	1,000 lb. 160,709
Condensed (case goods).....	8,699	10,572	12,109
Condensed (bulk goods).....	10,862	13,373	12,363
Dry whole milk.....	3,403	2,858	4,092
Dry skim milk.....	37,545	40,219	22,660
Dry buttermilk.....	6,193	6,660	3,160
	September 1937	August 1937	September 1936
<b>IMPORTS</b>	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.
Evaporated milk.....	10	10	6
Condensed milk.....	76	96	373
Dry milk.....	37	12	3,127
<b>EXPORTS</b>			
Evaporated milk.....	1,539	2,265	2,904
Condensed milk.....	1,221	741	204
Dry milk.....	366	409	291

<sup>1</sup> Revised figures include late reports.

## Production of Evaporated, Condensed, and Dry Milk Reported by Manufacturers, September 1937

Commodity	Comparison of production (pounds) for same firms					
	Previous year			Previous month		
	Firms <sup>1</sup>	Sept. 1937	Sept. 1936	Firms <sup>1</sup>	Sept. 1937	Aug. 1937
Evap. case goods.....	37	134,543,987	183,316,335	37	134,543,987	154,495,221
Cond. case goods.....	6	4,019,480	4,334,335	6	4,019,480	3,991,842
Cond. bulk goods.....	27	11,294,622	13,527,020	27	11,294,622	12,150,516
Dry whole milk.....	18	1,905,469	1,315,763	19	1,905,649	838,530
Dry skim milk.....	107	18,131,969	21,702,860	115	18,563,573	20,878,541
Dry part skim.....	2	725	63,290	2	725	12,951
Dry cream.....	2	3,899	2,165	2	3,899	4,979
Dry buttermilk.....	58	2,227,942	2,995,957	61	2,255,242	2,282,651

<sup>1</sup> Figures showing number of firms do not represent number of factories since some firms operate more than 1 factory.

## Wholesale Prices of Evaporated and Condensed Milk

September and August 1937

Geographic section	Unsweetened evaporated milk (per case of 48 14½-ounce cans)		Sweetened condensed (per case of 48 14-ounce cans)		Sweetened condensed un-skimmed (bulk per 100 pounds)	
	September 1937	August 1937	September 1937	August 1937	September 1937	August 1937
	New England.....	\$3.12	\$3.13	\$4.80	\$4.80	\$8.25
Middle Atlantic.....	3.08	3.08	4.73	4.73	8.25	8.25
South Atlantic.....	3.09	3.10	4.83	4.83	8.25	8.25
East North Central.....	3.04	3.04	5.25	5.25	7.95	7.85
West North Central.....	3.05	3.05	5.25	5.25	7.75	7.76
South Central.....	3.04	3.05	4.73	4.73	8.25	8.25
Western (North).....	3.06	3.05	5.39	5.39	8.25	8.25
Western (South).....	3.01	2.97	5.39	5.39	8.25	8.25
<b>United States:</b>						
1937.....	3.06	3.06	4.89	4.89	8.06	8.02
1936.....	3.19	3.20	4.78	4.82	8.83	8.86

## Prices to Producers at Condenseries for 3.5 Percent Milk

September and August 1937

[In dollars per 100 pounds]

Geographic section	By manufacturers of case goods		
	September 1937	August 1937	September 1936
Middle Atlantic.....	\$1.74	\$1.63	\$1.83
South Atlantic.....	1.64	1.58	1.69
East North Central.....	1.62	1.52	1.75
West North Central.....	1.58	1.47	1.67
South Central.....	1.47	1.38	1.59
Western (North).....	1.51	1.46	1.69
Western (South).....	1.70	1.65	1.78
<b>United States.....</b>	<b>1.61</b>	<b>1.52</b>	<b>1.74</b>

## Wholesale Selling Prices of Dry Milk During September 1937

[Cents per pound]

Dry skim milk (bulk goods)—reported sales (average price, 6.42)		Dry whole milk (bulk goods)—reported sales (average price, 18.16)		Dry buttermilk (bulk goods)—reported sales (average price, 5.20)	
Price	Pounds	Price	Pounds	Price	Pounds
3-3½.....	23,821	14½-15½.....	10,200	3½-4½.....	1,315,923
3½-4.....	876,950	15½-16½.....	40,100	4½-5½.....	162,405
4-4½.....	2,291,234	16½-17½.....	6,585	5½-6½.....	767,255
4½-5.....	1,178,247	17½-18½.....	809,093	6½-7½.....	.....
5-5½.....	1,967,117	18½-19½.....	237,650	7½-8½.....	66,949
5½-6.....	1,072,348	19½-20½.....	21,731	8½-9½.....	11,892
6-6½.....	3,060,355				
6½-7.....	3,656,562	<b>Total.....</b>	<b>1,125,359</b>	<b>Total.....</b>	<b>2,324,424</b>
7-7½.....	6,078,945				
7½-8.....	3,578,287				
8-8½.....	1,819,344				
8½-9.....	155,548				
9-9½.....	2,706				
<b>Total.....</b>	<b>25,761,464</b>				

Wholesale prices reported on case goods were as follows: Dry whole milk (1-pound cans) 35.78 cents per pound.

## Dealers' Prices for Standard Grade Milk Testing 3.5 Percent Butterfat

Used for City Distribution as Milk and Cream

[Delivered f. o. b. local shipping point or at county plant<sup>1</sup>]

Section	Number of local markets	Range of prices per 100 pounds	Average price	Comparison of prices for same markets			
				Number of local markets	Average for—		
					November 1937	October 1937	November 1936
New England.....	12	\$2.22-\$3.15	\$2.81	12	\$2.81	\$2.79	\$2.73
Middle Atlantic.....	16	2.25- 2.80	2.62	16	2.62	2.60	2.69
East North Central.....	26	1.71- 2.75	2.15	26	2.15	2.15	2.10
West North Central.....	19	1.55- 2.50	2.06	19	2.06	2.06	2.01
South Atlantic.....	18	2.20- 3.55	2.81	18	2.81	2.81	2.70
East South Central.....	7	2.05- 2.50	2.29	7	2.29	2.26	2.30
West South Central.....	9	1.67- 2.40	2.05	9	2.05	2.04	2.09
Mountain.....	8	1.46- 2.40	2.07	8	2.07	2.06	2.07
Pacific.....	10	1.75- 2.54	2.11	10	2.11	2.07	2.04
<b>United States.....</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>1.46- 3.55</b>	<b>2.34</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>2.34</b>	<b>2.32</b>	<b>2.29</b>

<sup>1</sup> The prices at country points apply to milk delivered direct by farmers in their own cans to local milk-shipping stations and nearby city milk plants. "Basic" prices are used for cities where a surplus plan or pooling plan is in effect, and where net prices are not yet determined. The price per 100 pounds may be reduced to cents per quart by dividing by 46.53.

Report of Fluid Milk Market for November 1937

Wholesale and Retail Milk Prices at Cities

State	City	Dealers' buying price at city for 3.5 percent butter-fat	Selling price <sup>1</sup>					Pre-vailing butter-fat test of milk sold by dealers
			On routes					
			Wholesale trade		Family trade		At retail stores	
			Bulk	Bulk	Bottles	Bottles		
Cents per qt.	Cents per qt.	Cents per qt.	Cents per qt.	Cents per qt.	Percent			
Ala.	Birmingham	2.6 13		12	15	14	4.1-4.3	
	Mobile	2.5 18		11	14	13		
Ariz.	Phoenix	2.4 71	8. 75	9	12	11	3.5-4.0	
	Tucson	2.5 63	8. 75	10	12-13	12	3.5-3.8	
Ark.	Little Rock	4. 13		10	12	12	4. 2	
Calif.	Los Angeles	2.5 42	6. 87	7. 8	12	9-10	3.5-4.0	
	San Diego	2.5 87	9. 15	10. 5	13	12	4.0-4.1	
	San Francisco	2.5 64	8. 4-9. 25	9-10	13	11-12	4.0	
Colo.	Colo. Springs	2.4 77		9	10	12	3.8-4.2	
	Denver	2.4 90	8. 75	9-9. 5	10-12	11	3.4-3.8	
	Pueblo	2.4 62	8. 75	9	12	11-12		
Conn.	Hartford	2.6 94		10	11-11. 5	14	3.98-4.0	
	New Haven	2.6 94		10	11	14		
Del.	Wilmington	2.5 74		9	11	12	4.0	
D. C.	Washington	2.6 98		10	12	14		
Fla.	Jacksonville	2.6 98		12	14	16	4.0-5.0	
	Miami	2.7 78	10-12. 5	12-13	15. 2-16	16	4. 2	
	Tampa			12	13	15	3.5-4.4	
Ga.	Macon	2.5 54		10	11	14	4. 6	
Ill.	Chicago		9. 25	10. 5	13	12	3. 5	
	Rockford	2.4 41		9	11	11	3.5-3.8	
	Springfield	3.91	8. 75	11	13	13	3. 8	
Ind.	Evansville	2.4 51		10. 5	12	12	3. 8	
	Indianapolis	2.5 09	8. 5	10	12	11-12	3.6-3.88	
	South Bend	2.5 09	8. 75	10	12	12	3.7-3.9	
Iowa.	Burlington	2.4 51	7. 5	8. 5	10	10	3. 9	
	Davenport	2.4 73	7. 5	9	11	11	3. 8	
	Des Moines		8. 5	8. 5	11	10	3. 7	
	Sioux City	2.4 84		8	9	10-11	3. 8	
Kans.	Kansas City	2.4 41	8. 75-9	10	12	12	3.7-4.0	
	Topeka	2.4 51	8. 75	9	11	11		
	Wichita	2.5 27	9. 75	10. 5	12	12	3.8-4.0	
Ky.	Lexington	5. 37	7. 5	9	13	12		
	Louisville	2.5 76	9. 5	12	14	13	4.0	
La.	New Orleans	2.5 16	7. 5	9	12	10	4.0	
Md.	Baltimore	2.6 23	8-9	10-12	13	10-12	4.0	
	Cumberland	2.7 63		10	11	13	4.2-4.4	
Mass.	Boston	2.6 81	10.5-10. 75	10. 5	13	12	3.7-4.0	
	Lowell	2.7 31		10	14	13		
	Springfield	2.7 41	10. 5	11	15	14		
Mich.	Detroit	2.4 94		10	11-13	9-13		
	Grand Rapids	2.5 31	9. 5	10	12	12	3.5-3.9	
Minn.	Duluth	4.08		8	10	11	3.8-4.5	
	Minneapolis		7. 75	9. 25	11	11	3. 5	
	St. Paul		7. 75	9	11	10	3. 6	
	Winona	5. 37	8. 5	8. 75	10	10	3. 7	
Miss.	Meridian		5-6		10-14	14	3. 8	
Mo.	Kansas City	2.5 54	8. 5-9	10-11	13	12-13	3. 8	
	St. Louis	2.5 80	9.5-10. 5	12	12-14	12-14	3. 8	
Mont.	Butte	2.5 42	8. 25	10	12	12	3.4-3.6	
Nebr.	Lincoln	2.3 98	7. 5	8	10	10	3. 8	
	Omaha	2.5 59	9	10	12	11-12	3. 8	
N. H.	Portsmouth	4. 77		9	12	12		
N. J.	Trenton	2.3 59	10	10	13	12	3.8-4.1	
N. Mex.	Albuquerque		10	11	13	12-13	4.0	
N. Y.	Albany	2.5 70	9	11-13	13	13	4. 25	
	Buffalo	2.5 27	8-9	9. 5	12	11	3. 7	
	New York:							
	1st-6th	2.6 51		9	10. 75	13	9-12	
	7th-30th	2.7 12-7. 49		10	11. 75	14	11-13	
	Rochester	2.5 70	9-10	10. 5	13	12-13	3. 9	
N. C.	Greensboro	2.5 80		10	12. 5	15	4.0	
	Winston Salem							
		6. 55	11. 25	13	15	15	4. 2	
N. Dak.	Grand Forks	4. 30	7. 5	8	10	9	3. 6	
Ohio.	Cincinnati	2.5 48		11	13	12	3. 8	
	Cleveland	2.5 37		9	10	12	10-11	
	Columbus	2.4 56	8. 25	9	11	10-11	3.5-4.0	
Okl.	Tulsa	2.4 13	8. 5	8. 5	11	10	3.8-4.0	
Oreg.	Portland	2.5 03	10	10	12	12	4.0	
Pa.	Philadelphia	2.6 19		10	12	11-12	3.66	
	Pittsburgh	2.6 43		9	11. 5	13	3.6-3.8	
R. I.	Newport				13	15	4. 2	
	Providence	2.6 62-6. 88			13	12		
S. C.	Charleston	2.6 58	10-11	13	15	15	4.1-4.2	
S. Dak.	Sioux Falls	2.4 30	7. 87	8	10-11	10-11	4.0	
Tenn.	Memphis	2.5 27		7	9	11	4.0-4.2	
	Nashville	2.4 51	7. 5	9	11	10-11		
Tex.	Dallas	4. 30-4. 51		9	11	10	4.4-4.5	
	El Paso	5. 37		9	10	12	3.6-4.2	
Utah.	Salt Lake City	2.4 60	8. 25	9	11	11	4.0	
Va.	Richmond	2.7 35	10. 75	13	14	14	4.0	
	Roanoke	2.6 23		10	11	13	4.0	
Wash.	Seattle	2.4 36		8	8. 5	11	10	
	Spokane	2.4 51	7. 5	9	11	10-11	3.7-4.0	
W. Va.	Charleston	2.6 49		13	15	15	3.7-4.0	
	Wheeling	2.5 33		10	12	12	3.5-4.0	
Wis.	Madison	2.5 59	9. 5	10	11	11	3. 7	
	Milwaukee	2.5 82	9. 5	10. 5	12	12	3.65-3.85	
	Racine	2.5 80	9. 5	10. 5	12	12	3. 6	

<sup>1</sup> These prices represent grade B milk or the grade which is most commonly sold, the butterfat content varying from 3.4 to 5 percent in different cities  
<sup>2</sup> Price paid for milk used in fluid form for city distribution.  
<sup>3</sup> Price at receiving stations.

Receipts of Butter at 4 Markets, by State of Origin, October 1937

State of origin	New York	Chicago	Philadel- phia	Boston	Total, 4 markets
	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds
Alabama		2, 409			2, 409
Arkansas	24, 800	212, 483			227, 283
Delaware			497		497
Illinois	3, 161, 922	539, 005	384, 237	912, 047	4, 997, 211
Indiana	306, 573	324, 120	41, 720	180, 360	852, 773
Iowa	4, 486, 038	2, 072, 701	501, 533	1, 097, 671	8, 157, 943
Kansas	672, 896	1, 137, 681	20, 150	93, 192	1, 923, 919
Kentucky	52, 248	41, 856	12, 066	20, 100	126, 270
Louisiana	18, 640				18, 640
Maine				414	414
Maryland	7, 208		5, 325		12, 533
Michigan	422, 992	167, 097		236, 338	826, 427
Minnesota	4, 402, 652	2, 328, 463	2, 816, 142	1, 788, 830	11, 336, 087
Mississippi	43, 020				43, 020
Missouri	540, 500	2, 018, 571	130, 033	66, 777	2, 755, 881
Nebraska	846, 332	604, 557	382, 039	70, 478	1, 903, 406
New Hampshire	12			39	51
New Jersey	36, 000				36, 000
New York	745, 900			1, 260	747, 160
North Dakota	152, 085	459, 733	33, 000	93, 440	748, 258
Ohio	309, 250		20, 254	201, 835	531, 339
Oklahoma	75, 668	1, 374, 485		127, 421	1, 577, 574
Pennsylvania	75, 864	8, 326			84, 190
South Dakota	47, 810	527, 670		140, 846	716, 326
Tennessee			23, 900		23, 900
Texas	80, 076	186, 790		20, 000	286, 866
Vermont				100	100
Virginia	258, 093		53, 179		311, 272
Wisconsin	653, 410	4, 206, 368	361, 945	78, 761	5, 300, 484
Total:					
October 1937	17, 429, 989	16, 202, 315	4, 786, 110	5, 129, 909	43, 548, 323
October 1936	20, 205, 812	18, 957, 837	6, 083, 148	6, 436, 332	51, 683, 129

Creamery Butter Production, September 1937

State	Estimated production, September 1937	Estimated production, August 1937	Production, September 1936	September 1937 estimate compared with—	
				August 1937	September 1936
	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Percent	Percent
Minnesota	19, 800, 200	22, 981, 800	22, 541, 000	-13.85	-12.16
Iowa	14, 812, 000	17, 472, 600	15, 988, 000	-15.23	-7.36
Wisconsin	12, 697, 200	14, 967, 300	14, 712, 000	-15.17	-13.70
Nebraska	4, 853, 200	5, 926, 600	5, 203, 000	-18.12	-6.73
Kansas	4, 625, 100	5, 379, 100	3, 677, 000	-14.02	+25.78
Missouri	6, 266, 900	8, 013, 400	5, 349, 000	-21.43	+17.72
North Dakota	3, 810, 700	4, 822, 700	4, 487, 000	-20.99	-15.08
South Dakota	3, 094, 300	3, 623, 700	3, 420, 000	-14.61	-9.53
Montana	931, 100	1, 164, 800	1, 042, 000	-20.07	-10.65
Michigan	6, 876, 000	7, 6-0, 000	7, 818, 000	-10.47	-12.05
Illinois	4, 770, 100	6, 268, 200	5, 176, 000	-23.91	-7.85
Indiana	5, 489, 300	6, 287, 100	5, 926, 000	-12.28	-7.37
Ohio	6, 803, 300	7, 895, 900	7, 957, 000	-13.51	-14.50
Kentucky	2, 154, 100	2, 745, 000	2, 327, 000	-21.53	-7.44
Virginia	860, 300	906, 900	852, 000	-5.14	+0.97
Tennessee	1, 650, 500	1, 795, 800	1, 828, 000	-8.10	-9.72
Mississippi	554, 500	728, 000	499, 000	-23.84	+11.12
Texas	2, 461, 000	2, 523, 100	2, 460, 000	-2.47	
Oklahoma	2, 908, 200	3, 168, 000	2, 311, 000	-8.21	+25.84
New York	1, 553, 700	1, 386, 000	1, 448, 000	+12.09	+7.29
Vermont	205, 000	138, 700	229, 000	+47.80	-10.49
Pennsylvania	1, 116, 200	1, 177, 800	1, 182, 000	-5.24	-5.57
Colorado	1, 595, 500	1, 817, 500	1, 696, 000	-12.22	-5.93
Utah	735, 800	827, 800	822, 000	-11.12	-10.49
California	4, 672, 500	5, 314, 900	4, 414, 000	-12.09	

Receipts of Cheese at 4 Markets, by State of Origin, October 1937

State of origin	New York	Chicago	Philadel- phia	Boston	Total, 4 markets
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
Colorado	34	287			321
Illinois	1,050,868	785,417	310,647	129,802	2,276,734
Indiana		70,257			70,257
Iowa	65,424	134			65,558
Massachusetts		34,000			34,000
Michigan	125,944	57,580	191	24,105	207,820
Minnesota		13,237	36,104		49,341
Missouri	103				103
Nebraska		3,000			3,000
New Jersey	21	39,836			39,857
New York	319,495	122,768	70,260	363,481	876,004
Ohio	52,539	3,155		990	56,684
South Dakota		6,128			6,128
Vermont	46,237				46,237
West Virginia	20				20
Wisconsin	3,662,635	3,113,131	1,794,473	1,169,688	9,739,927
Canada	36,658	39,300	27,730	172	103,860
<b>Total:</b>					
October 1937	5,359,978	4,288,230	2,239,405	1,688,238	13,575,851
October 1936	4,173,366	3,756,668	2,346,213	2,147,523	12,423,770

Receipts of Eggs at 4 Markets, by State of Origin, October 1937

State of origin	New York	Chicago	Philadel- phia	Boston	Total, 4 markets
	<i>Cases</i>	<i>Cases</i>	<i>Cases</i>	<i>Cases</i>	<i>Cases</i>
Arkansas	2				2
California	24,540	600	2,561		27,701
Connecticut	737			5	742
Delaware	2,437		639		3,076
District of Columbia	606				606
Georgia	30				30
Idaho	4,098				4,098
Illinois	14,599	16,976	16,948	5,658	54,181
Indiana	12,910	1,703	413	1,035	16,061
Iowa	50,572	29,404	15,028	23,367	118,371
Kansas	7,999	972	3,028	3,294	15,293
Kentucky	46				46
Maine	4			5,863	5,867
Maryland	3,177		1,230		4,407
Massachusetts	366			3,684	4,050
Michigan	2,561	356	143	1,291	4,351
Minnesota	29,120	15,269	9,174	6,570	60,133
Mississippi	8				8
Missouri	4,818	6,844	4,294	810	16,766
Nebraska	4,567	10,781	2,897	1,409	19,654
New Hampshire	2			5,974	5,976
New Jersey	14,718			872	15,590
New York	50,956		1,385	777	53,118
North Carolina	11			12	23
North Dakota	56			14	405
Ohio	6,612	30	3,947	2,001	12,590
Oklahoma	187	2			189
Oregon	12,480		2,550		15,030
Pennsylvania	20,919		8,649	14	29,582
Rhode Island	80				24
South Dakota	1,975	5,667		461	8,103
Tennessee	488			2	490
Texas	76				76
Utah	18,686		599		19,285
Vermont	7			622	629
Virginia	3,666			592	4,258
Washington	61,757	3,600	6,225	600	72,182
West Virginia	1,30			23	53
Wisconsin	2,095	14,968	400	408	17,871
Parcel post	123	61	33	12	229
<b>Total:</b>					
October 1937	358,121	107,233	81,676	64,286	611,316
October 1936	358,257	93,827	90,819	47,823	590,726

Receipts of American Cheese at Wisconsin Warehouses

	1937	Correspond- ing week in 1936	Correspond- ing 5-year average <sup>1</sup> weekly receipts
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
Week ended Oct. 2	4,311,160	6,230,599	4,828,542
Week ended Oct. 9	4,334,577	5,992,375	4,669,169
Week ended Oct. 16	4,297,289	5,866,949	4,473,970
Week ended Oct. 23	4,620,418	5,617,664	4,104,352
Week ended Oct. 30	4,302,889	5,341,375	3,628,621
<b>Total since Jan. 1</b>	<b>205,238,505</b>	<b>225,167,531</b>	<b>204,885,313</b>

<sup>1</sup> 1932-36 inclusive.

American Cheese Production, September 1937

Geographic section	Estimated production, September 1937	Estimated production, August 1937	Production, September 1936	September 1937 estimate compared with—	
				August 1937	September 1936
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Percent</i>	<i>Percent</i>
New York State	2,657,900	2,763,900	2,095,000	-3.84	+26.86
New England, including Pennsylvania and New Jersey	274,100	174,200	219,000	+57.34	+25.15
South Atlantic	152,900	164,500	119,000	-7.06	+28.48
South Central	4,672,300	5,453,000	4,356,000	-14.32	+7.75
Wisconsin <sup>1</sup>	22,013,500	23,222,200	25,836,000	-5.21	-14.80
East North Central, not including Wisconsin	5,717,600	6,457,300	6,028,000	-11.46	-5.15
West North Central	2,494,900	2,895,700	2,478,000	-13.85	+6.82
Mountain	1,510,900	1,563,000	1,509,000	-3.34	+1.18
Pacific	3,038,600	3,348,700	2,313,000	-9.27	+31.37
<b>United States</b>	<b>42,532,700</b>	<b>46,042,500</b>	<b>44,933,000</b>	<b>-7.63</b>	<b>-5.35</b>

<sup>1</sup> Estimate based on receipts of American cheese at Wisconsin warehouses.

Cold-Storage Holdings of Dairy and Poultry Products at 26 Markets,<sup>1</sup> October 1937

Date	Butter	American cheese	Eggs	Dressed poultry
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Cases</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
Oct. 2	77,265,001	70,122,975	4,811,677	44,284,501
Oct. 9	74,267,457	69,539,519	4,591,699	46,080,012
Oct. 16	71,320,729	69,537,482	4,295,899	47,608,170
Oct. 23	67,071,096	69,019,958	3,970,774	50,898,001
Oct. 30	63,661,059	69,828,186	3,623,670	55,136,386

<sup>1</sup> New York, Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, Providence, Buffalo, Syracuse, Cuba, N. Y., Lowville, N. Y., Pittsburgh, Cleveland, Detroit, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Milwaukee, Plymouth, Marshfield, Green Bay, Wis., Denver, Kansas City, St. Louis, Omaha, Portland, Seattle, San Francisco, and Los Angeles.

Receipts of Dressed Poultry at 4 Markets, by State of Origin, October 1937

State of origin	New York	Chicago	Philadel- phia	Boston	Total, 4 markets
	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>	<i>Pounds</i>
Alabama	168				168
Arkansas		22,267			22,267
California		1,056		15,400	16,456
Colorado	29,925	9,599			39,524
Connecticut	20,745				20,745
Delaware	302				302
District of Columbia	16,345				16,345
Florida	1,490	9			1,499
Georgia	3,165	35			3,200
Illinois	1,315,467	376,698	87,430	459,282	2,238,877
Indiana	1,067,239	82,422	21,443	41,145	1,212,249
Iowa	6,829,906	678,679	725,912	1,273,498	10,507,995
Kansas	984,501	234,179	108,377	374,266	1,701,323
Kentucky	203,890	35,020	11,923	20,947	271,770
Louisiana		34			34
Maine	946			17,878	18,824
Maryland	13,453		350	1,530	15,333
Massachusetts	439,724			238,000	677,724
Michigan	8,880	48,046		43,539	100,465
Minnesota	3,992,726	798,552	503,746	599,413	5,894,437
Mississippi	25,190	57,736			82,926
Missouri	1,157,106	324,849	284,619	139,713	1,906,287
Montana		225			225
Nebraska	905,544	192,458	28,286	144,556	1,270,844
New Hampshire	35,701			897	36,598
New Jersey	37,950	133,625		1,080	172,655
New Mexico			22,346		22,346
New York	1,302,547	270,329	23,455	390	1,596,721
North Carolina	209				209
North Dakota	210,238	100,204	40,588	302,048	703,078
Ohio	368,790	247	48,562		417,599
Oklahoma	491,747	32,201	87,721	56,599	668,268
Oregon	36,308			33,061	69,369
Pennsylvania	55,196		230		55,426
South Carolina	2,112				2,112
South Dakota	774,888	143,579	65,039	95,982	1,079,488
Tennessee	266,810	6,995			273,805
Texas	199,066	66,258	171,499		436,823
Utah	67,760				67,760
Vermont	71,919			1,248	73,167
Virginia	325,868		585		326,453
West Virginia	25				25
Wisconsin	138,225	210,287			378,512
<b>Total:</b>					
October 1937	21,452,011	4,855,589	2,232,111	3,860,472	32,400,183
October 1936	20,293,948	6,231,291	2,322,035	4,703,978	33,551,252

# Grain

Weekly Weighted Price Per Bushel of Reported Cash Sales, October 1937, With Comparisons of Monthly Averages

Market and grade		Wheat							
		Weekly averages				Monthly averages			
		Oct. 4-9	Oct. 11-16	Oct. 18-23	Oct. 25-30	1936 Oct.	1937		
		Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
CHICAGO									
Hard Winter	No. 2	112	105	107	102	121	117	113	112
	No. 3	109	103	102	102	116	114	110	106
Red Winter	No. 2	106	101	101	101	119	116	109	104
	No. 3	104	98	102	96	119	113	108	104
MINNEAPOLIS									
Dark No. Spr. Heavy	No. 1	127	120	122	122	146	134	131	124
Dark Northern Spring	No. 1	129	121	127	128	148	133	134	127
	No. 2	126	120	126	124	146	129	129	125
Northern Spring	No. 1	122	111	111	108	139	130	122	111
	No. 2	122	108	108	108	139	123	123	118
Hard Amber Durum	No. 2	109	107	110	107	153	116	110	108
KANSAS CITY									
Dark Hard Winter	No. 2	110	105	106	105	121	113	112	108
	No. 3	109	104	105	103	119	110	110	106
Hard Winter	No. 2	107	103	104	102	122	112	110	106
	No. 3	104	98	101	99	119	108	107	102
ST. LOUIS									
Hard Winter	No. 2	107	100	101	101	124	117	113	104
Red Winter	No. 2	107	100	101	101	121	112	109	104
	No. 3	105	98	99	98	120	109	107	101
SIX MARKETS <sup>1</sup>									
By classes (all grades)									
Hard Red Spring		113	107	110	109	138	117	116	111
Durum		106	106	108	105	146	115	109	106
Red Durum		98	93	93	92	116	101	100	95
Hard Red Winter		105	100	100	99	120	106	105	102
Soft Red Winter		94	88	91	88	120	97	96	91
All classes and grades		106	101	103	100	129	108	109	104
WINNIPEG (CASH CLOSE)									
Northern Spring	No. 1	138	140	143	143	111	132	134	143

Market and grade		Corn							
		Oct. 4-9	Oct. 11-16	Oct. 18-23	Oct. 25-30	1936 Oct.	1937		
		Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
CHICAGO									
White	No. 2	90	66	64	61	114	108	110	73
	No. 3	81	64	63	59	110	108	108	62
Yellow	No. 2	81	66	62	61	108	106	108	77
	No. 3	73	62	63	58	107	104	106	66
KANSAS CITY									
White	No. 2	72	62	62	58	118	102	102	72
	No. 3	68	62	62	58	113	93	93	63
Yellow	No. 2	66	60	60	57	112	96	96	59
	No. 3	66	60	60	57	112	96	96	59
ST. LOUIS									
White	No. 2	85	74	74	71	110	112	101	90
	No. 3	77	68	68	60	108	105	106	68
Yellow	No. 2	77	66	66	60	110	107	103	72
	No. 3	76	62	62	57	107	103	93	62
FIVE MARKETS <sup>1</sup>									
All classes and grades		66	57	56	53	102	106	97	57

Market and grade		Oats, White							
		Oct. 4-9	Oct. 11-16	Oct. 18-23	Oct. 25-30	1936 Oct.	1937		
		Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
CHICAGO									
	No. 3	32	31	33	32	42	30	32	32
MINNEAPOLIS									
	No. 3	30	28	30	30	42	28	30	30
KANSAS CITY									
	No. 3	31	30	30	33	44	30	31	31
ST. LOUIS									
	No. 3	33	33	33	32	43	31	32	33

Market and grade		Rye							
		Oct. 4-9	Oct. 11-16	Oct. 18-23	Oct. 25-30	1936 Oct.	1937		
		Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
CHICAGO									
	No. 2	79	76	75	77	88	84	84	78
MINNEAPOLIS									
	No. 2	75	71	72	73	85	77	78	74

Market and grade		Barley							
		Oct. 4-9	Oct. 11-16	Oct. 18-23	Oct. 25-30	1936 Oct.	1937		
		Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
MINNEAPOLIS malting									
	No. 2	79	77	80	80	132	72	83	79
	No. 2	72	68	71	75	129	63	68	71
	No. 3	70	67	69	71	122	61	68	69

Market and grade		Flaxseed							
		Oct. 4-9	Oct. 11-16	Oct. 18-23	Oct. 25-30	1936 Oct.	1937		
		Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
MINNEAPOLIS									
	No. 1	219	216	217	212	213	197	213	217

<sup>1</sup> Duluth and Omaha included in wheat; Minneapolis and Omaha in corn.

Weekly Closing Prices of Futures, October 1937, With Comparisons of Monthly Averages

Market		DECEMBER FUTURES							
		Wheat				Corn			
		Weekly averages		Monthly averages		Weekly averages		Monthly averages	
		Oct. 4-9	Oct. 11-16	Oct. 18-23	Oct. 25-30	1936 Oct.	1937		
		Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents	Cents
Chicago		103	98	99	97	115	111	107	100
Minneapolis		111	107	108	107	128	119	115	109
Kansas City		99	96	96	95	113	105	101	97
Winnipeg <sup>1</sup>		122	118	119	118	109	122	124	120
Liverpool <sup>1</sup>		130	126	126	130	121	128	130	129
Chicago		61	58	59	58	95	66	64	60
Kansas City		59	56	57	56	96	64	62	58
Chicago		30	29	31	30	41	30	31	30
Winnipeg <sup>1</sup>		49	49	47	47	44	44	48	48
Chicago		104	99	99	96	114	113	108	100
Minneapolis		110	106	106	104	123	119	115	107
Kansas City		100	95	95	93	110	107	103	97
Winnipeg <sup>1</sup>		122	117	117	116	110	124	125	119
Liverpool <sup>1</sup>		125	122	121	122	<sup>2</sup> 113	-----	-----	123
Chicago		62	60	61	60	90	67	65	61
Kansas City		60	57	58	57	92	66	63	59
Chicago		31	30	31	30	41	31	32	31
Winnipeg <sup>1</sup>		48	48	46	45	45	45	48	47

<sup>1</sup> Conversions at current rate of exchange. <sup>2</sup> Oct. 16-31.

### Commercial Grain Stocks Report

[At the close of the week ended Nov. 13, 1937]

United States Grain<sup>2</sup> in Store and Afloat at Domestic Markets

Market group	Wheat	Corn	Oats	Rye	Barley	Flax
Atlantic coast	3,444	168	204	223	114	0
Gulf coast	3,597	313	15	1	0	0
Northern and upper lake	19,449	885	16,332	3,042	7,404	1,597
Lower lake	31,444	7,816	5,741	2,151	2,212	0
East central	9,280	2,123	944	89	12	0
West central, southwestern and western	53,616	3,505	2,851	390	369	0
Pacific coast	3,321	613	89	1	2,788	0
Total, current week	124,151	15,423	26,176	5,897	12,929	1,597
Total, previous week (revised)	126,269	9,903	20,725	6,067	13,008	1,580
Total, year ago	74,297	5,516	45,934	5,915	20,210	755

United States Grain in Store in Bond at Canadian Markets

Total, current week	2,287	98	4,286	696	375	-----
Total, previous week (revised)	2,323	2	3,832	839	281	-----
Total, year ago	0	6	161	0	0	-----

Total North American Commercial Grain Stocks

Total, current week	190,206	15,521	39,762	7,905	24,087	2,239
Total, previous week (revised)	194,306	9,905	39,912	8,159	24,569	2,159
Total, year ago	204,855	5,522	61,668	8,307	35,411	1,721

<sup>1</sup> United States stocks as reported are at the close of business on Friday or Saturday in transit grain not included.

<sup>2</sup> Includes imported grain on which duty has been paid.

Banded stocks of other grain in United States markets, current week—from Argentina, corn, 38,000 bushels; flaxseed, 187,000 bushels; and from Yugoslavia, corn, 191,000 bushels.



# Feed-Seed

## Prices<sup>1</sup> of Feedstuffs at Important Markets, October 1937

[Per ton, bagged, in carlots, sight-draft basis]

Commodity	Boston		Philadelphia		Buffalo		New York		Cincinnati		Chicago		Milwaukee		Minneapolis		St. Louis		
	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	
Standard spring bran	26.44	25.12	22.37	25.87															
Hard winter bran																			20.09
Standard spring middlings	28.06	26.81	24.12	28.19															
Flour middlings		31.88	30.00	33.62															
Gray shorts																			23.49
Cottonseed meal (43 percent)																			
Cottonseed meal (41 percent)	30.25		29.11	28.38	27.25														26.75
Linseed meal (37 percent)																			29.22
Linseed meal (34 percent)																			27.72
Linseed meal (32 percent)																			35.48
Soybean meal (41 percent)																			35.52
Gluten feed	28.50	26.90	26.60	28.10	25.60														33.12
Gluten meal	31.50		29.60																31.12
White hominy feed	28.62	28.12	27.12	29.72	25.35														33.12
Distillers dried grains																			37.30
Brewers dried grains																			
Digester tankage (60 percent)	27.25	25.00																	41.00
Meat scraps																			28.00
No. 1 alfalfa meal (fine)																			28.82

Commodity	Memphis		Atlanta		Kansas City		Omaha		Fort Worth		Denver		Los Angeles		San Francisco		Portland, Oreg.		
	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	Dol.	
Hard winter bran	21.25	26.88	17.69	20.81	21.50														
Brown shorts																			
Gray shorts	24.56	29.94	20.38																
Wheat millrun																			
Cottonseed meal (43 percent)																			
Cottonseed meal (41 percent)	21.94	23.94	28.38																
Cottonseed meal (36 percent)																			
Linseed meal (37 percent)																			
Linseed meal (34 percent)																			
Linseed meal (32 percent)																			
Soybean meal (41 percent)																			
Gluten feed	29.30	22.70																	
Gluten meal																			
White hominy feed																			
Distillers dried grains	22.60																		
Brewers dried grains	29.55																		
Digester tankage (60 percent)																			
Meat scraps																			
No. 1 alfalfa meal (fine)																			
Dried beet pulp	36.25																		

<sup>1</sup> Prices are simple averages of 1 day's quotation each week.

## Alfalfa Meal: Commercial Production, 1937-38, With Comparisons

Month	1937-38	1936-37	1935-36	1934-35	1933-34	1932-33
	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>	<i>Tons</i>
June	29,670	27,530	18,540	24,590	26,700	14,800
July	27,370	24,180	25,070	21,810	21,760	17,010
August	32,000	31,180	17,810	20,590	18,130	15,450
September	29,170	31,330	16,870	18,480	18,660	19,140
October	127,420	22,310	28,160	17,040	22,990	18,120
Total, 5 months	145,630	136,530	101,450	102,510	107,340	84,520
November		30,510	19,710	15,120	16,640	12,390
December		30,040	17,550	14,200	16,220	12,930
January		32,800	15,480	9,450	15,300	10,960
February		27,290	16,740	8,750	12,320	10,120
March		19,700	17,200	10,070	11,580	10,070
April		17,480	15,270	12,300	12,280	12,240
May		17,640	16,420	13,670	14,750	15,970
Total, 12 months		311,990	219,820	186,100	206,430	169,200

<sup>1</sup> Preliminary.

Livestock are going into the winter in good condition. Ranges and feed supplies are good in States west of the Main Range, in the mountain and irrigated sections, and the foothill areas east of the Rockies. The western Great Plains sections continue dry with short feed from eastern Montana to northern Texas, according to the monthly Livestock and Range Report.

## Imports of Forage Plant Seeds

[Reported by the Division of Seed Investigations, Bureau of Plant Industry]

Permitted Entry Into the United States Under the Federal Seed Act

Kind of seed	October		July 1, 1937 to Oct. 31, 1937	July 1, 1936 to Oct. 31, 1936
	1937	1936		
	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds	Pounds
Alfalfa	484,700	294,200	1,626,400	305,300
Bluegrass, Canada	3,600	6,500	2,600	24,000
Bluegrass, Kentucky				100
Brome, smooth	83,200	175,600	1,121,400	269,200
Clover, alsike	77,200	498,100	2,178,000	765,500
Clover, crimson	142,400	539,200	4,574,700	5,116,900
Clover, red	355,100	233,800	6,671,600	480,100
Clover, white	240,400	98,400	6,666,100	364,000
Grass, orchard	11,200	271,200	7,451,100	1,111,800
Millet, foxtail				5,200
Mixtures, alsike and timothy	1,600		2,126,600	
Mixtures, grass		32,800		33,000
Rape, winter	554,900	179,800	8,851,900	6,388,600
Ryegrass, Italian	166,200		3,303,300	13,300
Ryegrass, perennial	54,200	143,400	10,221,800	329,000
Timothy		28,300	2,100	28,300
Vetch, common	418,100		11,956,200	
Vetch, hairy	196,900	1,020,400	12,520,500	1,805,200
Vetch, Hungarian	22,200		284,200	

## Not Subject to the Federal Seed Act

	900	7,100	1,200
Bentgrass			1,500
Bluegrass, annual			1,500
Bluegrass, rough	93,200	60,000	174,200
Bluegrass, wood			1,100
Clover, subterranean			300
Clover, suckling	6,000	17,100	10,300
Dogtail, crested	2,900	4,200	6,400
Fescue, Chewings	251,900	167,700	512,600
Fescue, other	9,900	200	33,900
Grass, carpet		100	200
Grass, Dallis	7,700	15,000	33,300
Grass, Guinea		1,000	1,100
Grass, rescue		400	1,100
Grass, Rhodes	2,200	1,200	16,500
Grass, velvet	300		800
Medick, black	10,100		21,700
Mixtures, grass	4,200		4,200
Sweetclover, white	756,600	556,400	2,031,200
Sweetclover, yellow	160,300	32,200	440,100
Vetch, purple			500
Wheatgrass, crested	7,400	22,500	22,900
Wheatgrass, slender			25,500
Yarrow, common			500

<sup>1</sup> 517,300 pounds from Canada; 65,100 pounds from Argentina; 44,000 pounds from South Africa.

<sup>2</sup> From Canada.

<sup>3</sup> 145,000 pounds from Canada; 22,000 pounds from Poland; 10,900 pounds from Czechoslovakia; 100 pounds from New Zealand.

<sup>4</sup> From Hungary.

<sup>5</sup> 197,400 pounds from Chile; 170,800 pounds from Poland; 143,000 pounds from Canada; 110,800 pounds from Rumania; 32,700 pounds from Latvia; 11,000 pounds from France; 5,500 pounds from Germany (of Lithuanian origin); 400 pounds from Hungary.

<sup>6</sup> 394,700 pounds from Poland; 73,500 pounds from Hungary; 49,000 pounds from the Netherlands; 48,500 pounds from Great Britain (40,000 pounds of Polish origin); 400 pounds of New Zealand origin); 43,700 pounds from Czechoslovakia; 37,900 pounds from Germany (of Polish origin); 13,200 pounds from Italy; 5,600 pounds from New Zealand.

<sup>7</sup> 44,200 pounds from Denmark; 500 pounds from Great Britain (400 pounds of Swedish origin); 400 pounds from New Zealand.

<sup>8</sup> 600,600 pounds from the Netherlands; 150,100 pounds from Japan; 99,000 pounds from Hungary; 2,200 pounds from Great Britain.

<sup>9</sup> 235,100 pounds from Denmark; 62,700 pounds from Northern Ireland; 5,500 pounds from Great Britain (of Northern Irish origin).

<sup>10</sup> 102,800 pounds from Northern Ireland; 81,800 pounds from Great Britain (35,200 pounds of New Zealand origin); 46,000 pounds of Northern Irish origin; 600 pounds of Swedish origin); 26,000 pounds from New Zealand; 11,200 pounds from Denmark.

<sup>11</sup> 1,945,100 pounds from Hungary; 10,900 pounds from Poland; 200 pounds from Great Britain.

<sup>12</sup> 2,683,100 pounds from Hungary; 2,134,000 pounds from Czechoslovakia (33,200 pounds of Hungarian origin); 176,000 pounds from Germany (of Czechoslovakian origin); 132,000 pounds from Lithuania; 44,000 pounds from Sweden; 32,400 pounds from Poland.

Hay and roughage supplies are also ample in the country as a whole, but reports regarding the quantities on hand on November 1 confirm other indications of light supplies in a large central area that includes northeastern and central Montana, the western third of the Dakotas, most of Nebraska and Kansas, the eastern third of Colorado, the western half of Oklahoma, portions of extreme northern, western and southern Texas, and more limited areas in southwest Iowa, northwest Missouri, and portions of New Mexico. Outside of this area, which lacked adequate rainfall again this year, supplies of hay and other roughage appear to be rather generally above average and ample for livestock on hand.

# Cotton

**Average Price of Middling Spot Cotton at 10 Markets, October 1928-37**

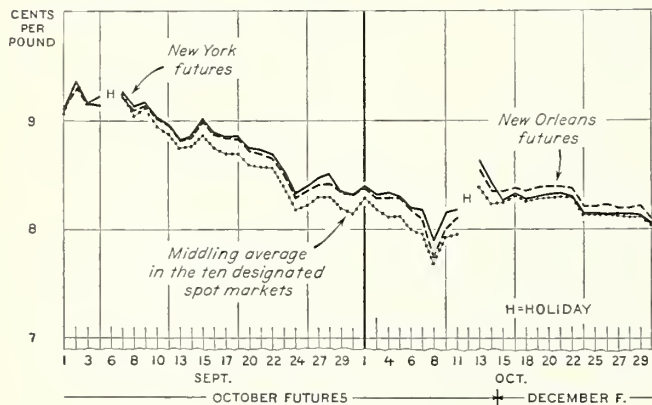
Market	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937
Norfolk	18.80	18.15	10.28	6.20	6.64	9.34	12.38	11.19	12.46	8.41
Augusta	18.70	17.92	9.91	5.97	6.65	9.36	12.55	11.05	12.43	8.40
Savannah	18.65	17.92	10.06	5.96	6.52	9.33	12.49	11.07	12.32	8.31
Montgomery	18.14	17.24	9.43	5.56	6.29	8.97	12.30	10.69	11.92	8.26
New Orleans	18.79	18.08	10.40	6.06	6.51	9.29	12.58	11.16	12.26	8.23
Memphis	18.10	17.05	9.34	5.52	6.16	9.00	12.25	10.83	11.80	8.13
Little Rock	18.18	17.00	9.29	5.36	6.08	8.95	12.25	10.71	11.74	8.01
Dallas	17.99	16.99	9.41	5.35	6.04	8.92	12.11	10.74	11.74	7.60
Houston	18.50	17.89	9.99	5.72	6.38	9.23	12.53	11.07	12.02	8.00
Galveston	18.71	17.98	10.09	5.82	6.39	9.23	12.54	11.10	12.00	8.01
Average	18.46	17.62	9.82	5.75	6.37	9.16	12.40	10.96	12.07	8.14

**Average Premiums for Staple Lengths of the Grade No. 5 or Middling, Nov. 5, 1937, With Comparisons**

	New Orleans			Memphis		
	Nov. 5, 1937	Nov. 6, 1936	Nov. 8, 1935	Nov. 5, 1937	Nov. 6, 1936	Nov. 8, 1935
No. 5 short staple	Cents 7.85	Cents 12.30	Cents 11.68	Cents 7.80	Cents 11.80	Cents 11.45
Length in inches	Points	Points	Points	Points	Points	Points
1 1/4	140	155	110	115	155	165
1 3/8	225	205	155	240	265	150
1 3/16	325	255	1 240	340	365	225
1 1/4	450	355	1 360	500	475	460

<sup>1</sup> Nominal.

**Comparative Cotton Prices for September and October**



## Imports of Foreign Cotton

**Aug. 1 to Oct. 31, 1937, With Comparisons**  
[500-pound bales]

Country of production	1913-14	1933-34	1934-35	1935-36	1936-37	1937-38	5-year average 1932-36	Percent this year is of 5-year average
Egypt	11,672	22,639	19,911	14,648	14,956	12,556	16,929	74.2
Peru	3,304	1,819	287	80	133	326	843	38.7
China	1,996	1,441	426	368	1,843	2,687	1,462	183.8
Mexico	2,026	110	1,018	-----	4,344	-----	1,094	-----
India	1,799	7,359	8,816	7,245	10,062	5,817	6,795	85.6
Other countries	6	65	5	-----	419	857	115	745.2
Total	20,803	33,433	30,463	22,341	31,757	22,243	27,238	81.7

## Exports of American Cotton

**Aug. 1 to Nov. 5, 1937, With Comparisons**

[Compiled from Government and commercial reports]

To—	Aug. 1- Nov. 5, 1913	Aug. 1- Nov. 9, 1934	Aug. 1- Nov. 8, 1935	Aug. 1- Nov. 6, 1936	Aug. 1- Nov. 5, 1937	4-year average 1933-36	Percent this year is of 4-year average
Great Britain	1,091,064	205,201	429,311	364,985	552,273	368,132	150.0
France	510,633	146,868	184,021	318,793	302,743	254,010	119.2
Germany	920,746	176,927	213,271	273,192	339,492	304,235	111.6
Italy	124,487	130,294	125,053	84,074	170,170	150,850	112.8
Japan	79,316	560,081	417,080	477,045	86,590	525,265	16.5
Spain	89,758	79,557	60,453	-----	-----	57,667	-----
Belgium	69,044	23,143	43,044	46,466	64,598	40,388	159.9
Canada	18,304	62,000	46,454	62,006	50,076	56,625	88.4
Other countries	104,522	183,433	167,419	171,669	256,860	209,126	128.3
Total	2,997,874	1,567,504	1,686,106	1,798,230	1,822,802	1,957,298	93.1

<sup>1</sup> Aug. 1 to Sept. 30.

## Stocks of American Cotton at European Ports

[Compiled from commercial reports]

At—	Nov. 7, 1913	Nov. 13, 1931	Nov. 11, 1932	Nov. 10, 1933	Nov. 9, 1934	Nov. 8, 1935	Nov. 13, 1936	Nov. 12, 1937	5-year average <sup>1</sup>
Liverpool	1,000 bales 398	1,000 bales 220	1,000 bales 303	1,000 bales 399	1,000 bales 244	1,000 bales 159	1,000 bales 247	1,000 bales 280	270
Manchester	36	31	54	45	33	41	47	55	44
Continent	411	437	753	897	513	217	280	340	532
Total	845	688	1,110	1,341	790	417	574	675	846

<sup>1</sup> 1932-36.

Stocks of Egyptian cotton at Alexandria, Egypt, on November 12, were reported to be 274,000 bales of approximately 750 pounds gross weight, compared with 332,000 bales on November 13, 1936.

Stocks of cotton at Bombay, India, on November 12, were reported to be 571,000 bales of approximately 400 pounds gross weight, compared with 592,000 bales on November 13, 1936.

Linters consumed during the month of October 1937 amounted to 72,928 bales, compared with 73,700 bales in September and 73,170 bales in October 1936. Linters consumed during the 3 months ended October 31 amounted to 218,843 bales in 1937 and 208,166 bales in 1936.

## American Cotton Consumption

**October 1937, With Comparisons**

[Exclusive of linters]

Month	1913-14	1933-34	1934-35	1935-36	1936-37	1937-38	5-year average, 1932-36 to 1936-37	Percent this year is of 5-year average
August	432,350	588,902	418,941	408,325	575,014	604,380	479,136	126.1
September	442,435	499,482	294,696	450,647	629,767	601,837	473,467	127.1
October	511,923	504,055	523,032	552,840	651,086	526,464	546,581	96.3
Total, 3 mos.	1,386,708	1,592,439	1,236,669	1,411,812	1,855,867	1,732,681	1,499,184	115.6
November	456,356	475,247	480,081	512,312	625,794	-----	519,174	-----
December	456,262	347,524	417,344	499,773	694,841	-----	479,984	-----
January	517,299	508,021	550,553	590,484	678,786	-----	559,605	-----
February	455,231	477,046	480,339	515,977	665,677	-----	516,048	-----
March	493,354	544,870	482,373	550,641	776,942	-----	570,002	-----
April	499,646	512,594	468,402	576,762	718,975	-----	549,418	-----
May	466,744	519,299	470,412	530,894	669,665	-----	562,166	-----
June	446,145	363,262	383,982	555,449	680,521	-----	536,095	-----
July	448,333	359,951	390,712	607,056	583,011	-----	508,274	-----
Total 12 mos.	5,626,078	5,700,253	5,360,867	6,351,160	7,950,079	-----	6,299,950	-----